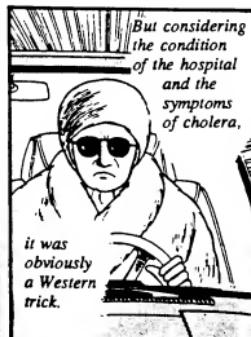


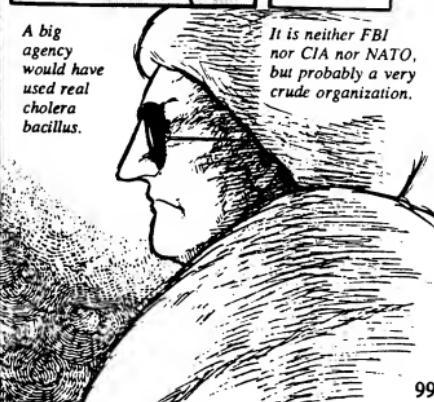




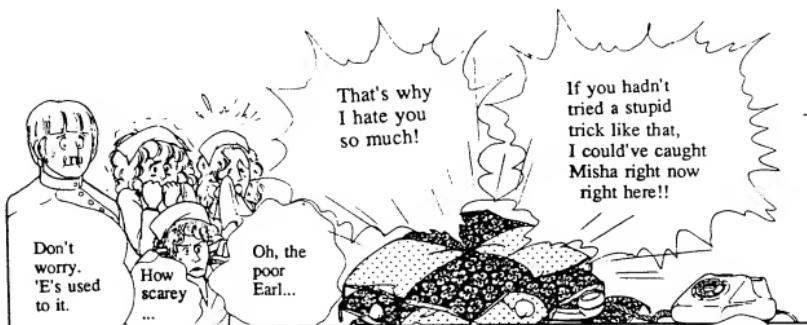
Do not underestimate Misha the Cub.

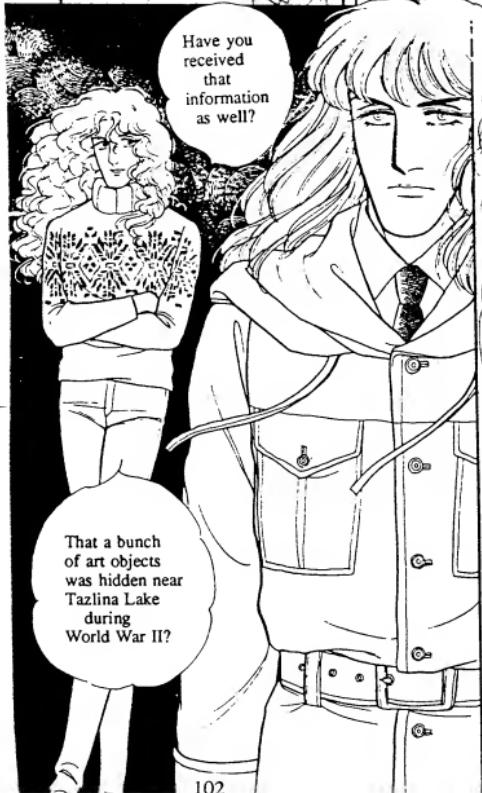
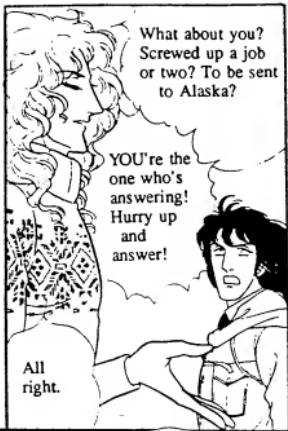


I myself was almost fooled at first...



















I can't let the Earl interfere with my mission at this fucking busy time!



Mr. B!
Don't
go to
the loo
during
watch!

There's no need
to cooperate
with that
frigging
FBI!!

Then,
maybe we
should tell
the FBI...

See
...?

He
never
forgets
...

Once the
Major
hates you,
you're
cursed
for life.

And, I also have the same principle as the Major's, of hitting the target under any circumstance.

When two men with the exact same philosophy set an eye on the exact same target, what follows is...

a battle with no quarter.

That was such an obtrusive big lie just to get rid of us.

You believe what that Major Liar said!?

Mr. James, let's evacuate this cottage and move to Tettin Lake as the Major recommended.

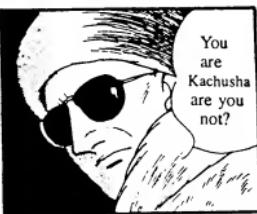
As big as the Major, you know...

I'm a big liar myself.



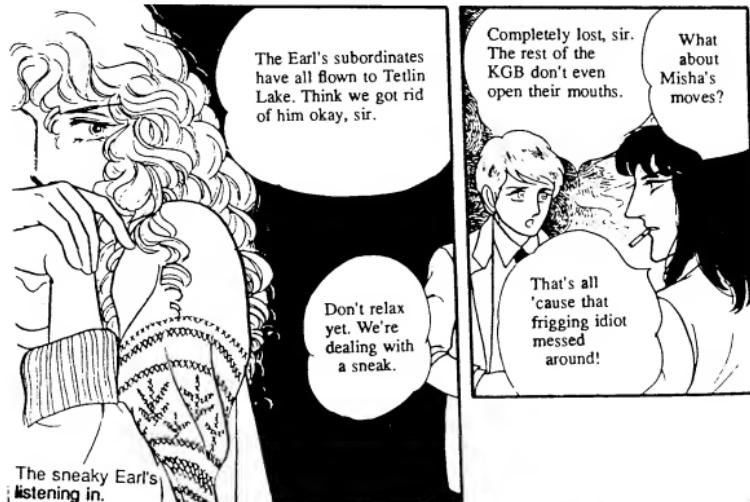
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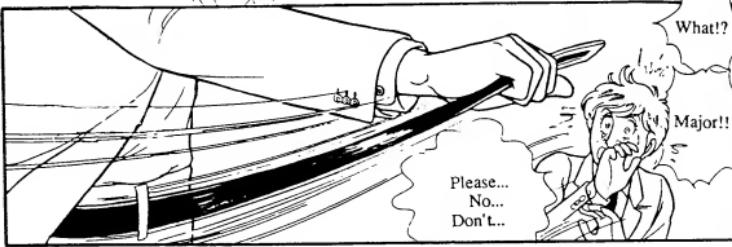
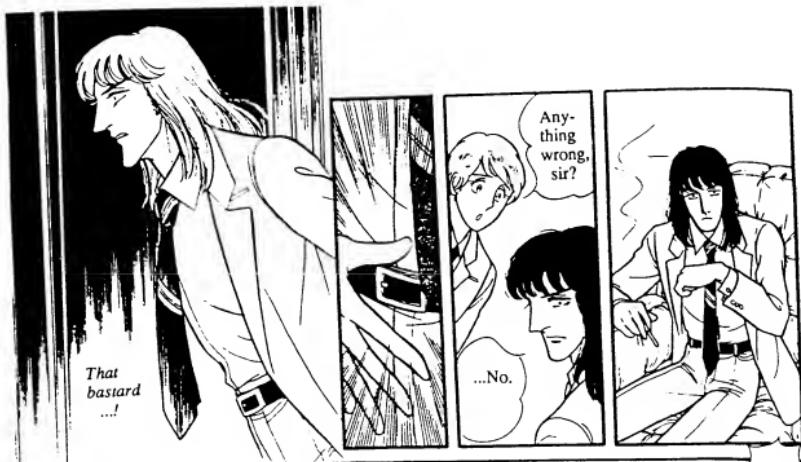










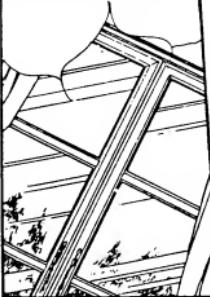








No matter how much the FBI sniffs around Tetlin Lake, there won't be anybody to catch there. You needn't worry.



He's a real crooked man! Didn't pay for the cup, a big liar, and on top of that he tattled to the FBI about us!



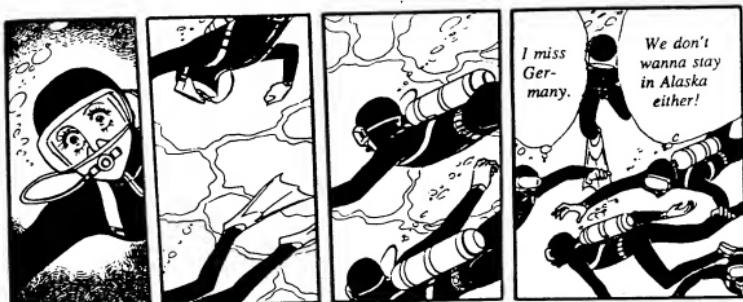
So, he can feel even a slight change in things he's worn for a long time, can't he?

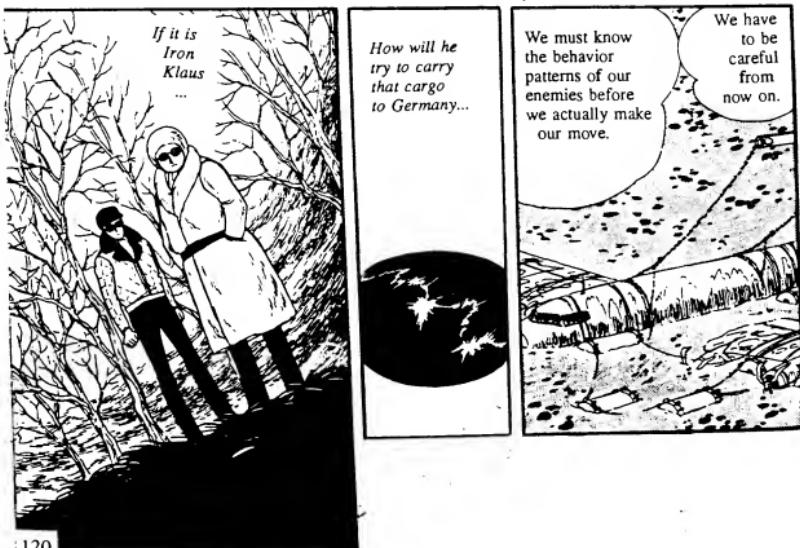
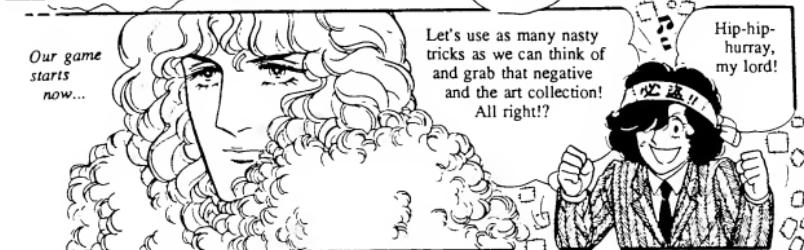
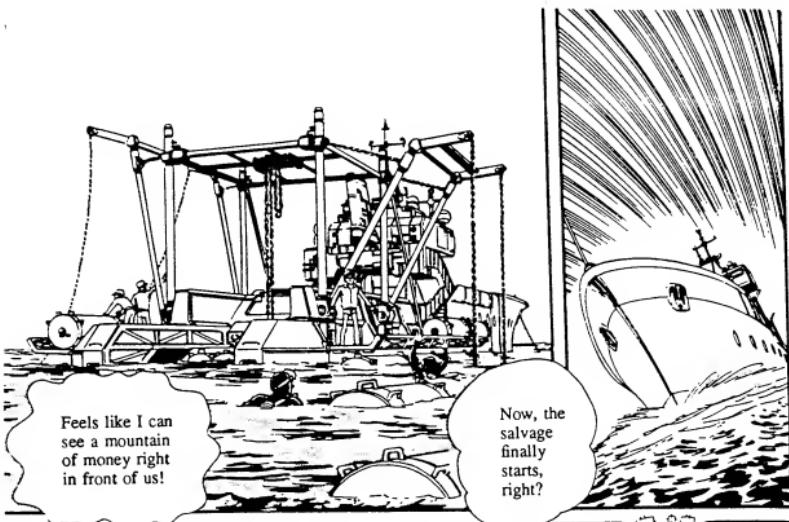


Even the Major hasn't realized I'm hiding in a place less than a kilometer away from him...



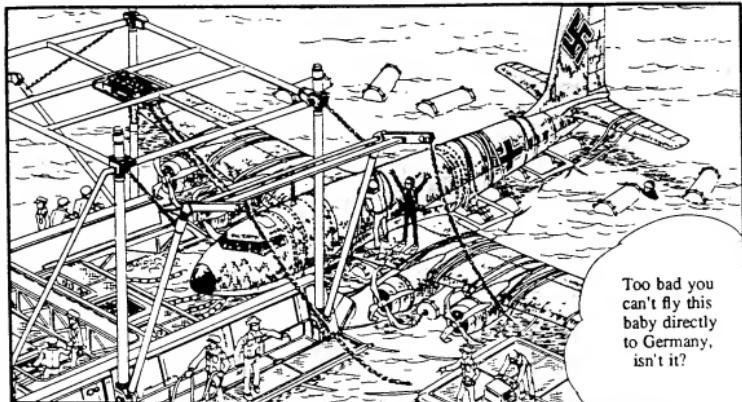








Congratu-
lations!
Real
congratulations,
Major.



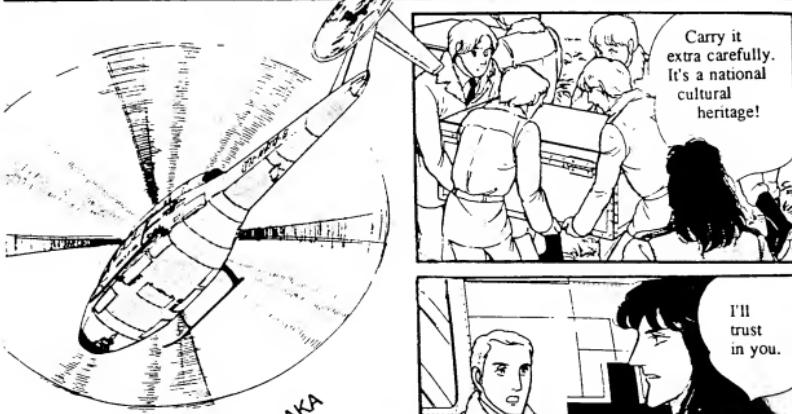
I just wanna
accomplish my
mission as
quickly as
I can.

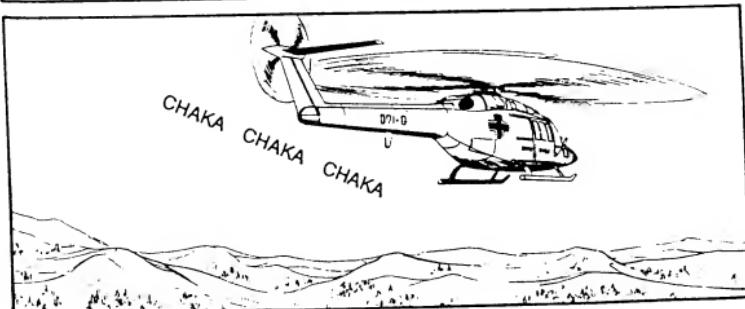
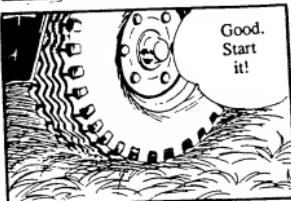
I'll check the
cargo right here
and carry it to
the airport
immediately on
an Air Force
copter.

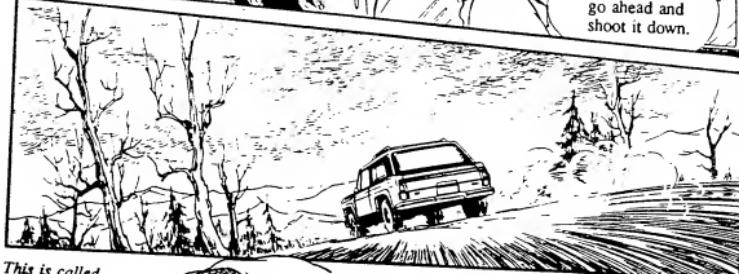
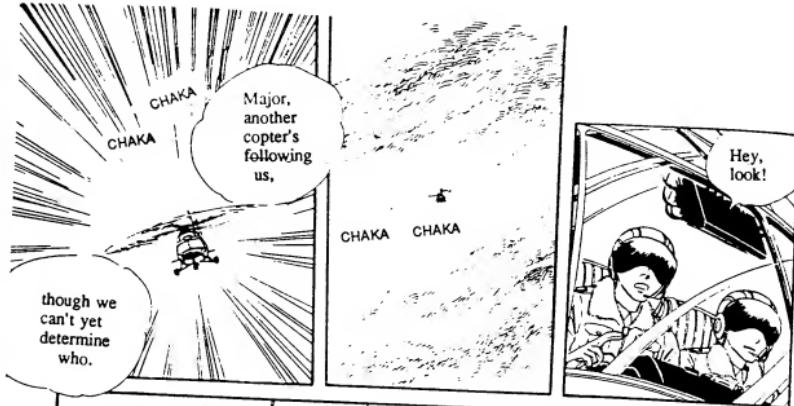
Major,
what's your
plan of
action from
now on?



You
seem
to be in
great
haste.







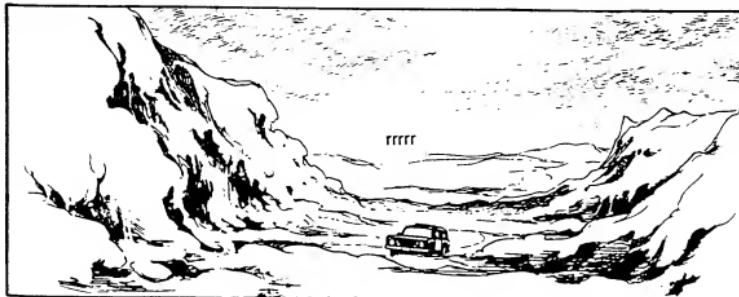
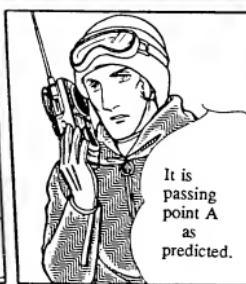
I haven't been
dealing with you
this long for
nothing,
you know.

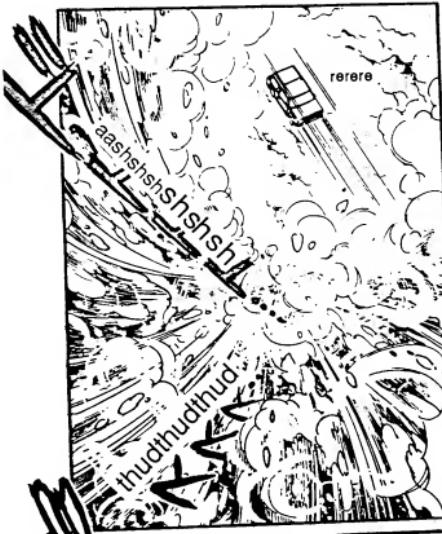
Keep on
pretending
to follow it.

CHAKA
CHAKA

But be
careful
not to get
shot down.







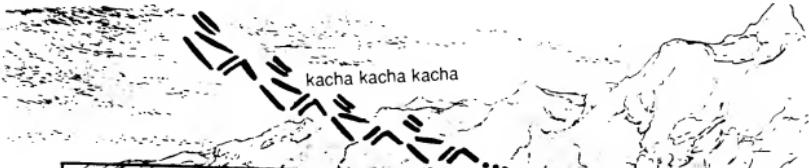
Back up!
Put it in
reverse!

Ava-
lanche!

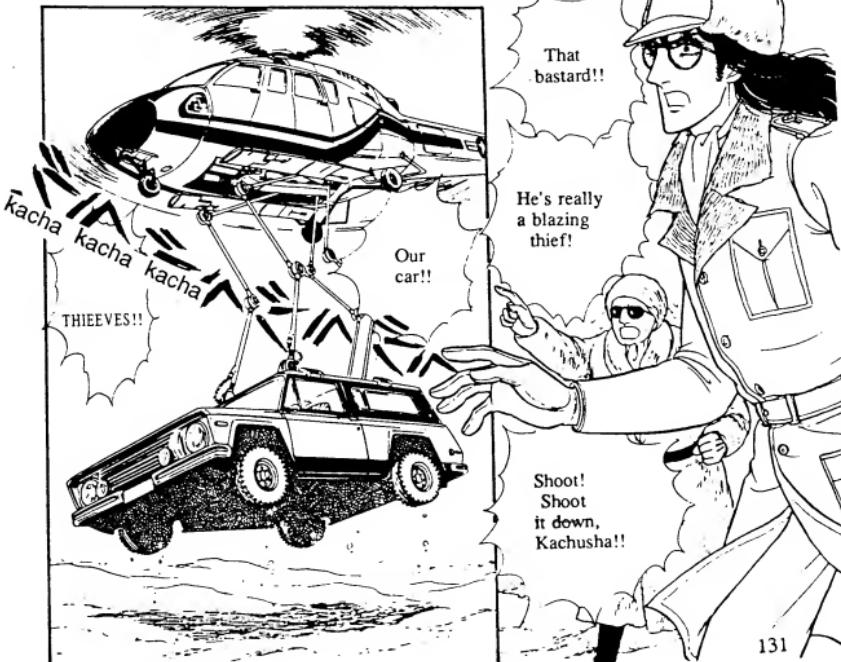
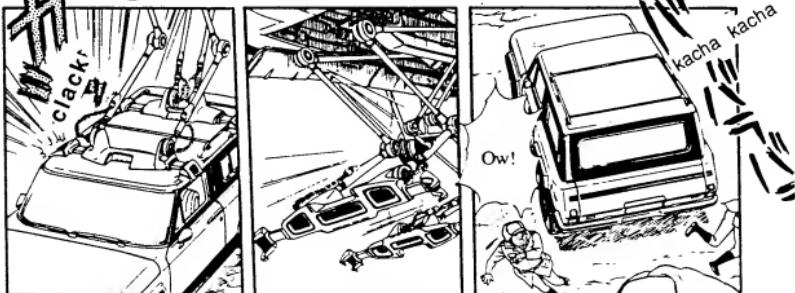


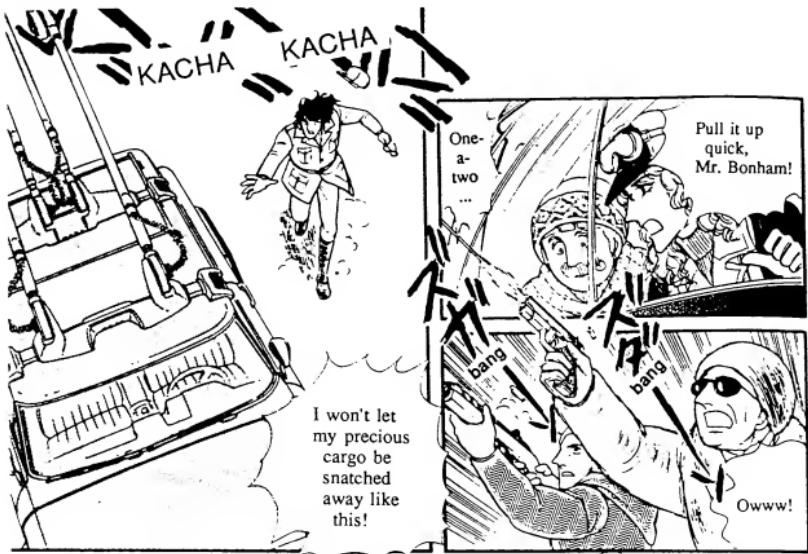


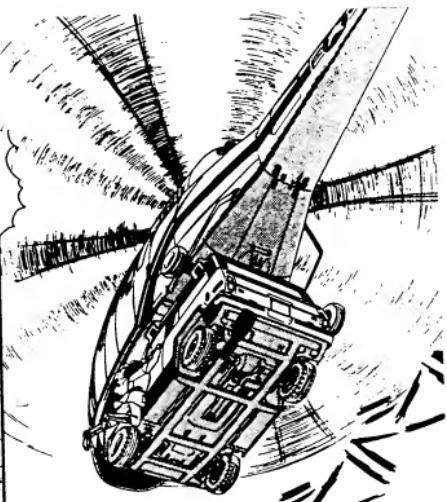


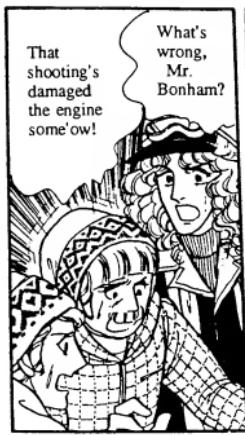
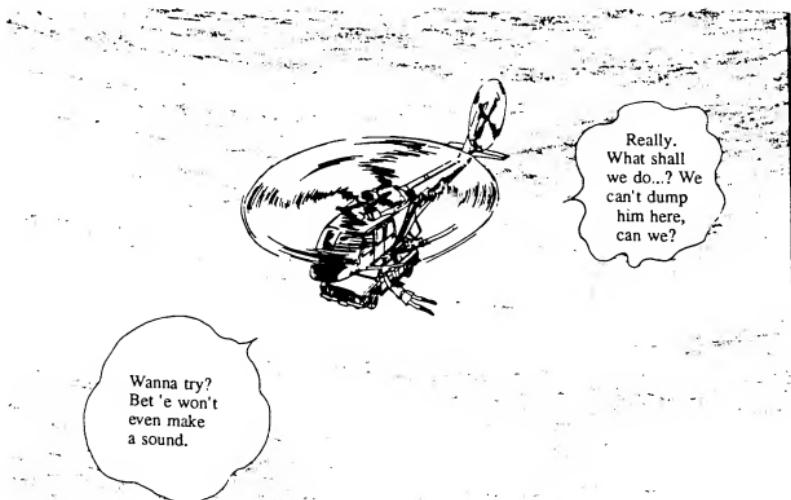


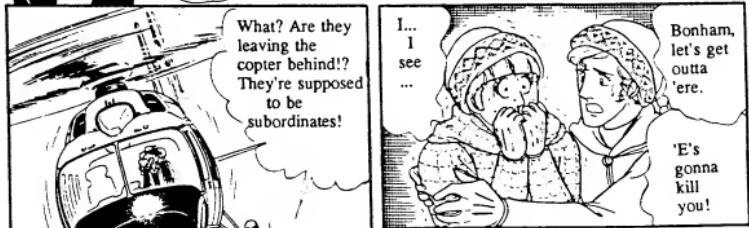
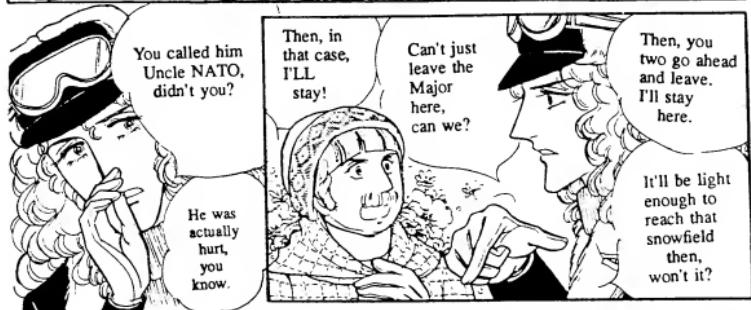


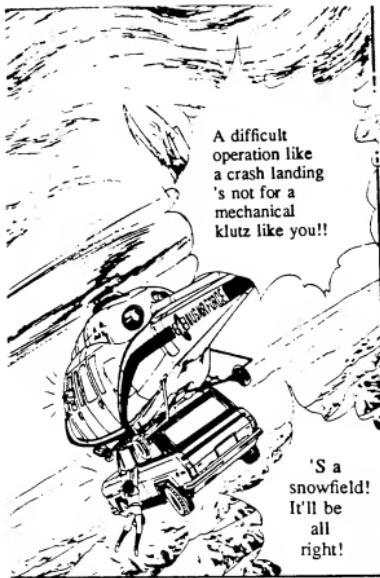




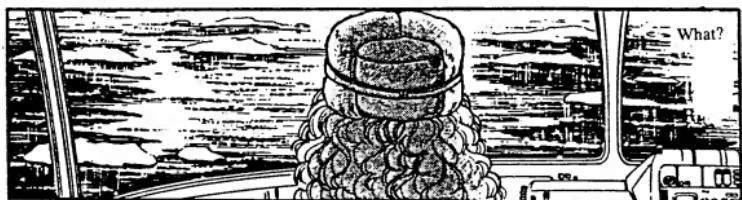








A crash landing on a snowfield's not as hard as it sounds. I can handle it easi...





SHSHAKE



Alaska
is a
cold
place.



See, there's what looks like a human habitation over there!

Let's go, Major.
You've got to get warm.

Plus, your men won't necessarily be the first to get here, you know.

It could very well be my men, or...

I won't let you stand in my way any more.

Don't bother me! I'm gonna wait for my subordinates here.

No matter how tough you think you are, I don't think your body can take this biting cold.

Frozen fingers won't handle it as well as they usually do, will they?

Are you shamelessly threatening me!?

Don't forget I've got a gun!



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G
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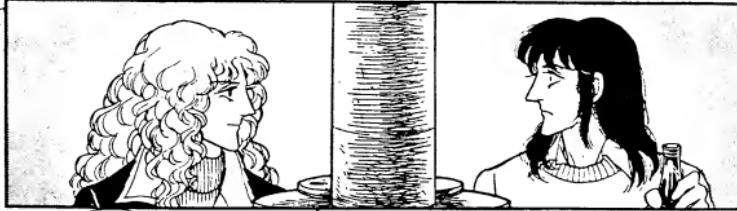
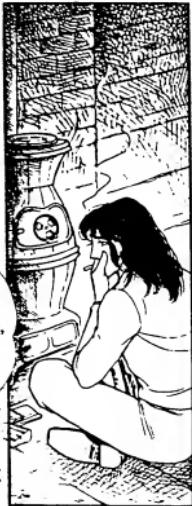




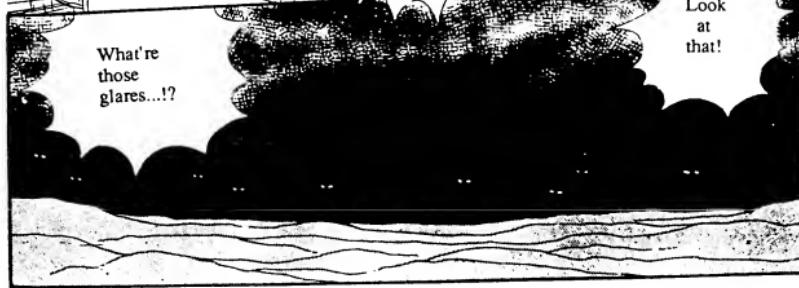




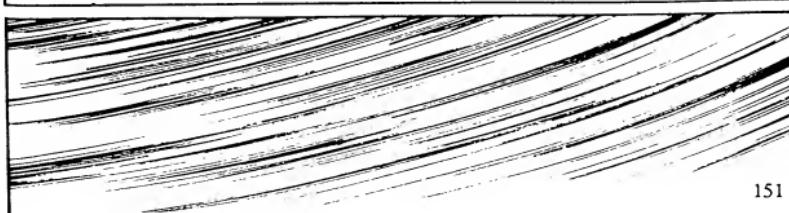


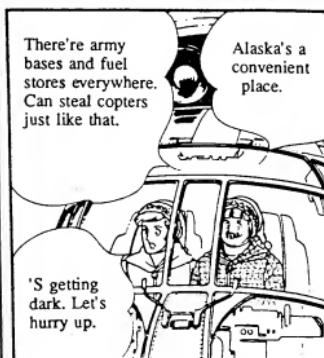
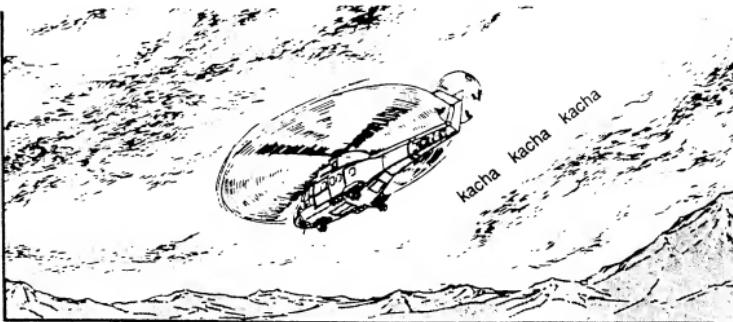


So you noticed, didn't you?



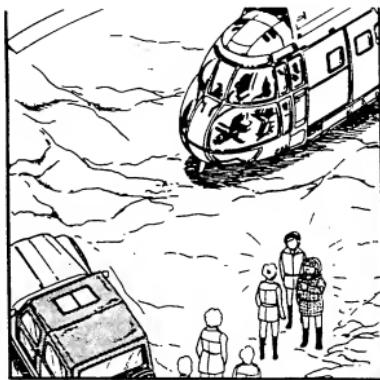


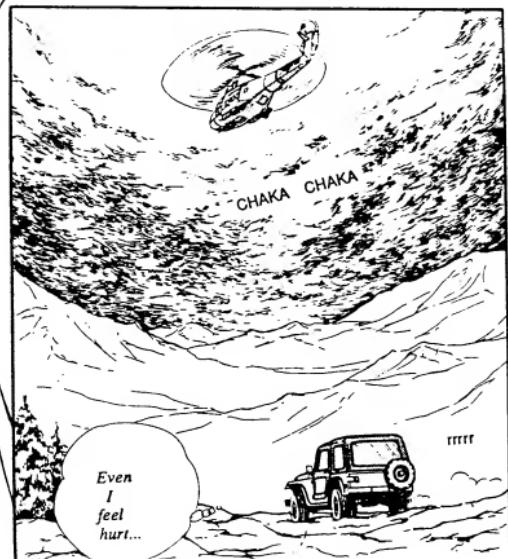




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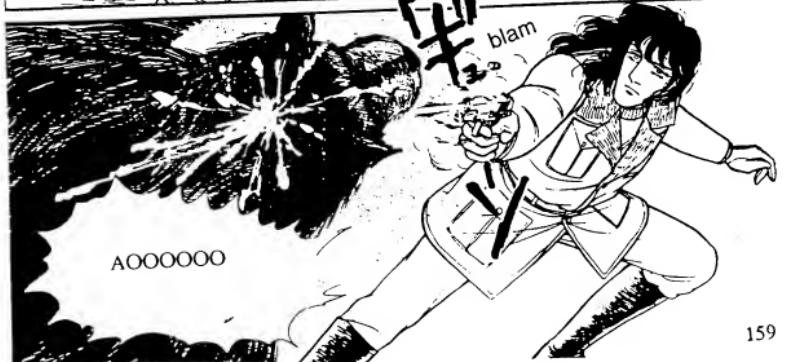




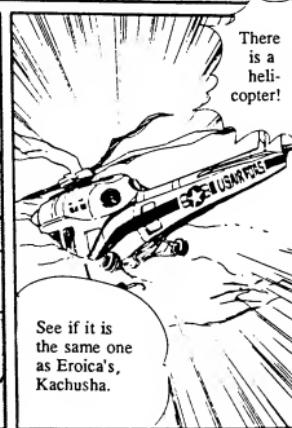
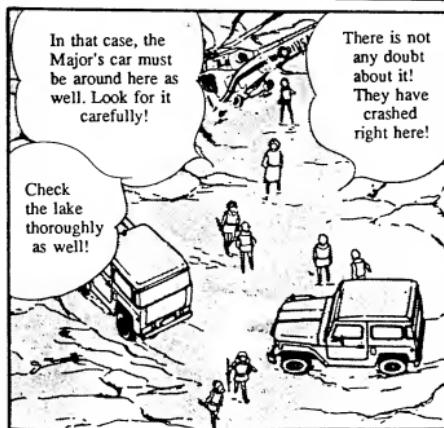
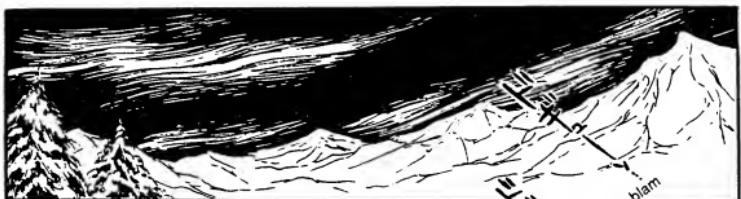








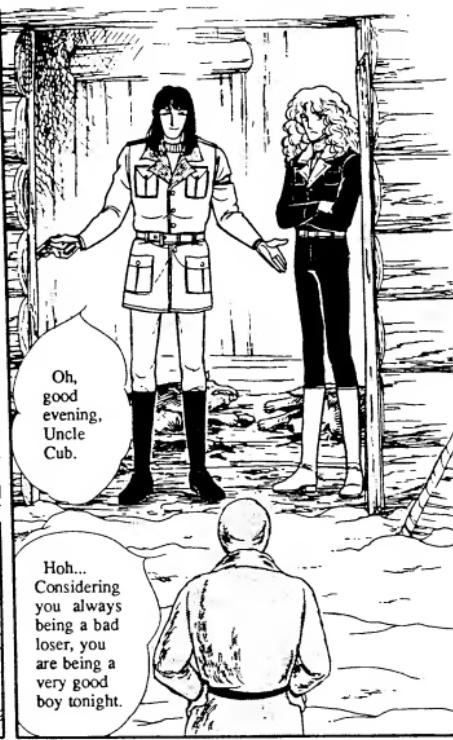






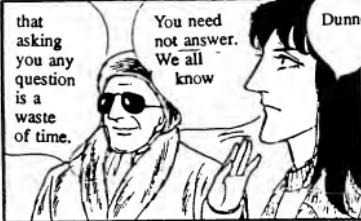






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Dunno.

Let me ask you a question then. Where are the negative plate of the counterfeit dollar and the Göring Collection?



Iron Klaus of NATO is worth capturing alive,

He has the idiosyncrasy of getting excited at the color red.

You guys've tried to kill me, haven't you?

but a civilian thief is just an obstacle for you, right?

He passes out when he sees a red flag.

Correc-tion!

as well as your relationship with Major Eberbach.

That is a misunderstanding. Even the KGB record says that you are a very important man,

Eroica is wearing a RED jumpsuit.

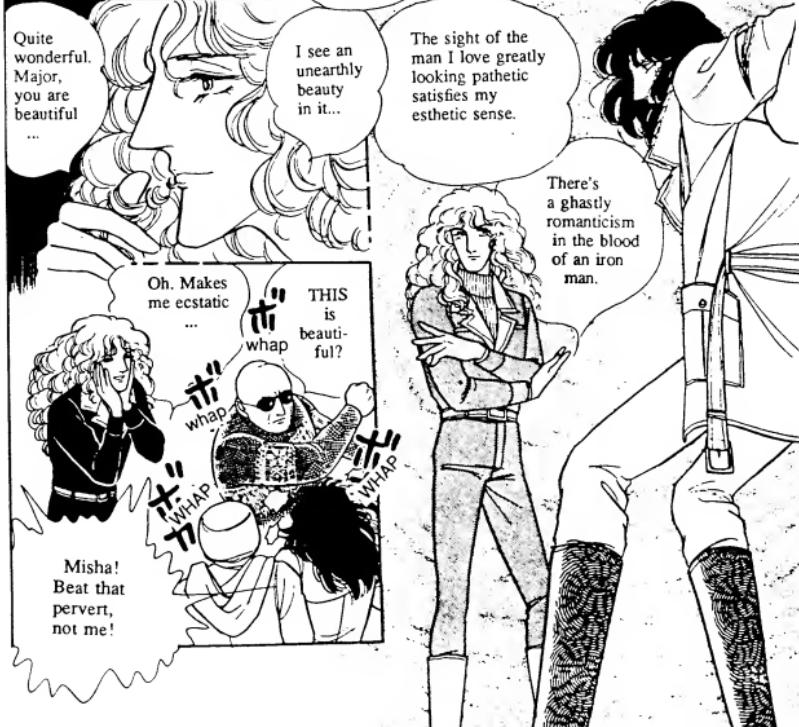
I have NOTHING to do with this bugger!

A civilian!

That man wasn't aiming at the Major, but at ME,

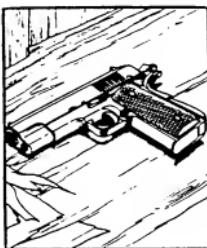


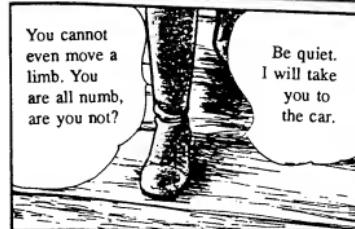












If you come
any closer,
I'll blow
your head
off!

Leaving at least one bullet in the cartridge's the professional rule, isn't it?

YOU were fooled, Misha.

Did you seriously think a man like Iron Klaus'd really use up all his ammunition?

Or shall I pull the trigger to prove it?

kacha kacha

Even if you take it away this time ...

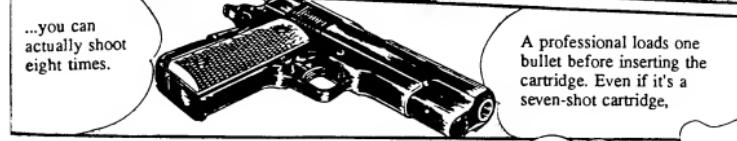
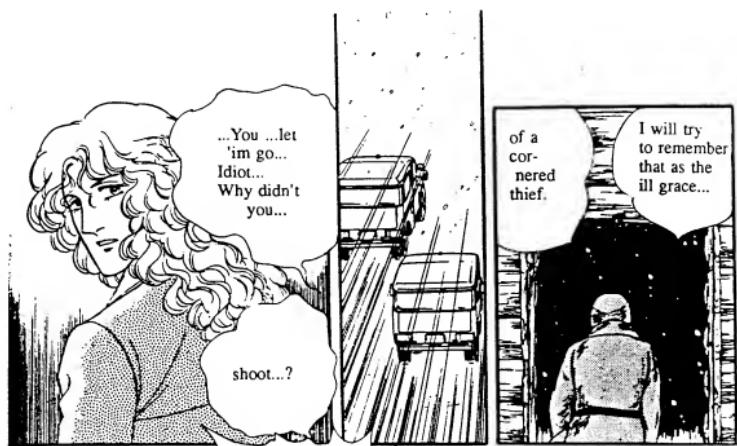
Forget about the Major and leave. That'll serve us best.

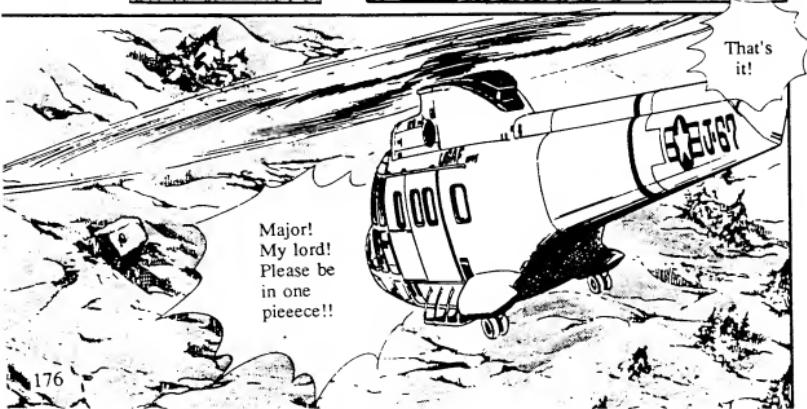
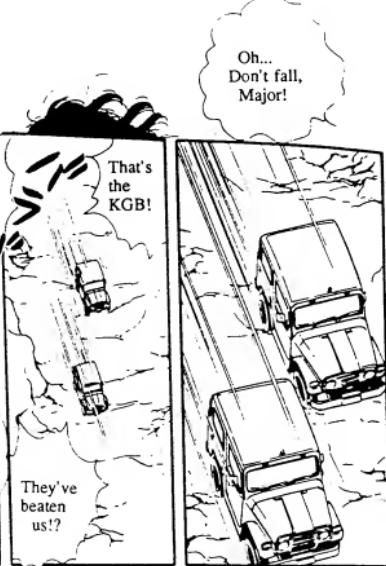
I'll get whatever's taken away back into my own hands. ...Even if it's the KGB I have to deal with...

But remember.

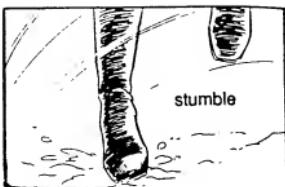
Comrade! A helicopter is coming! It is a U.S. Air Force copter!

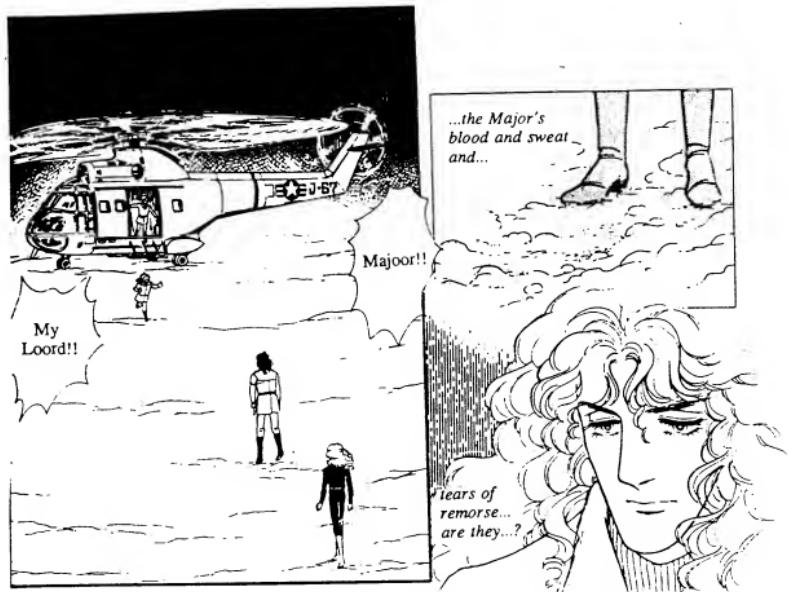
What?!













I'm exhausted, too.
Feels like I was
KO'd by a former
gold-medalist as well...

He just slipped on an ice-patch. Was hard as concrete, you know...

'S too cold!
'S damned
cold, isn't it?

freezin'!

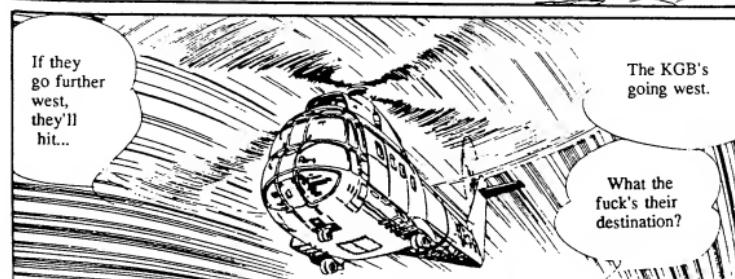
Wake me when Z gets in touch.

Gonna rest a while.

Yes, sir.

Goodnight,
Major.
You're over-
worked.









I think I'll live longer than you. I'm not as heavy a smoker as you.

I'm sure you won't last long 'less you change that lifestyle of yours.

'S not a job for a Civilian thief any more.

Lord Gloria, I'm telling you. Get out of this.

I don't take ten sugar cubes in one cup of coffee.

D'you know queers get fat bellies?

Doesn't matter that it's Russia I'm dealing with.

All I want to do is get the Göring Collection back.

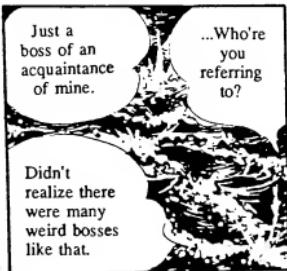
The tougher the job, the more I enjoy it, you know.

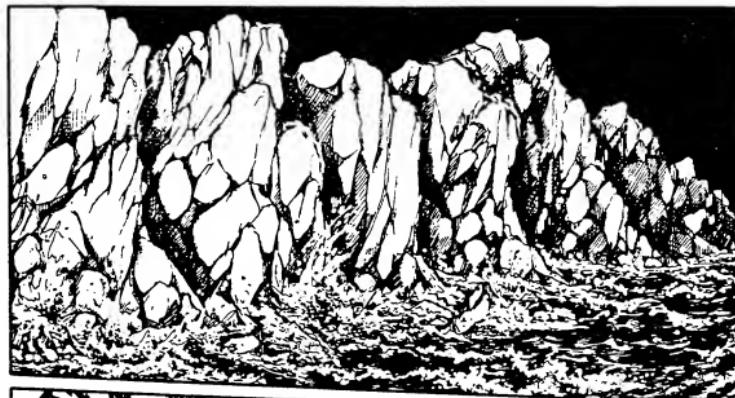
They must be discussing some east-west issues, looking at the Bering Sea like that.

Just a boss of an acquaintance of mine.

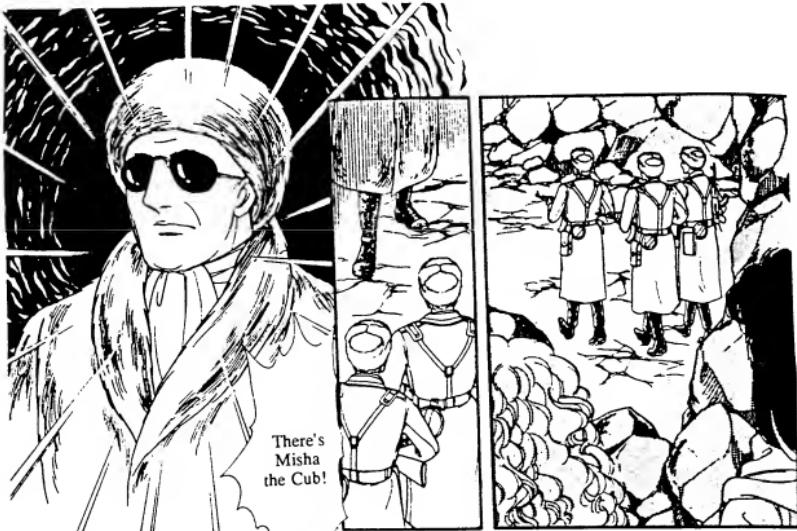
...Who're you referring to?

Didn't realize there were many weird bosses like that.









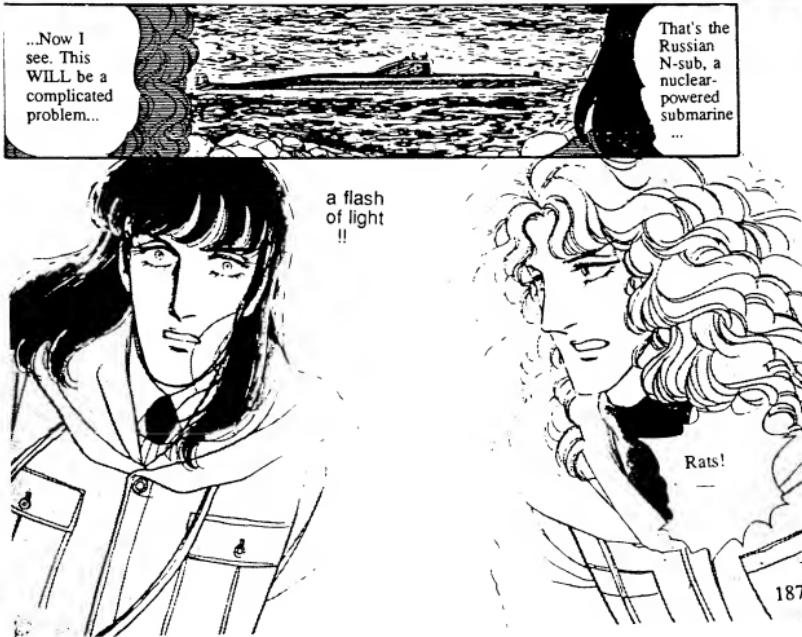


SSSSSHhhh plash!



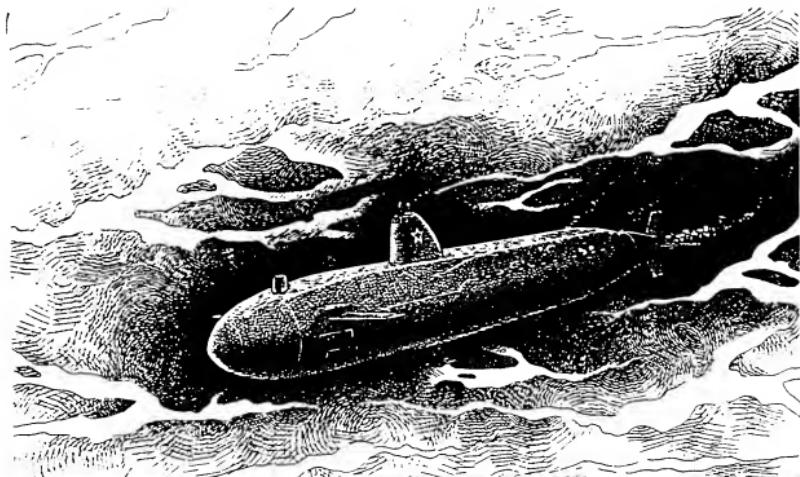
...Now I
see. This
WILL be a
complicated
problem...

That's the
Russian
N-sub, a
nuclear-
powered
submarine
...

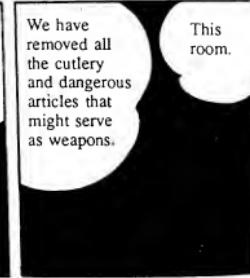


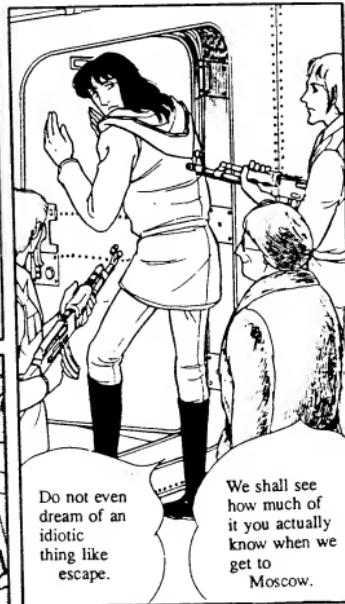
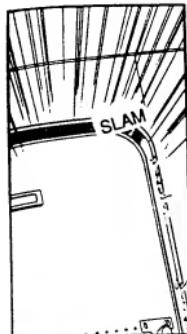






clack clack clack





An N-sub's goddamned hard to detect once it's in the water, mind you.

What's left for us then is to wait for the U.S. Navy to discover this N-sub doing a border invasion or...

As for you, they might try to use your skill in theft and make you into a KGB handy-boy or something.

The quality and quantity of information Iron Klaus has're not comparable to your ordinary spies, are they?

What they want's the information in my head.

What's the KGB gonna do with us?

They'd brainwash that hopeless optimism of yours all red.

You think they give a fuck about your philosophy?

My principle's to live without being bound to anybody. I live for freedom.

No kidding! I'm doing it because I like doing it.

You'll be thrown into a remote hospital somewhere and that's it.

And if they couldn't do that, they'd send you to a nut house.

You'll never come back to human life.

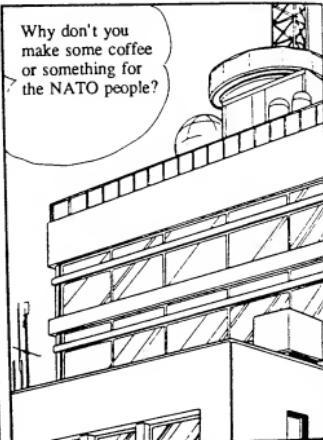
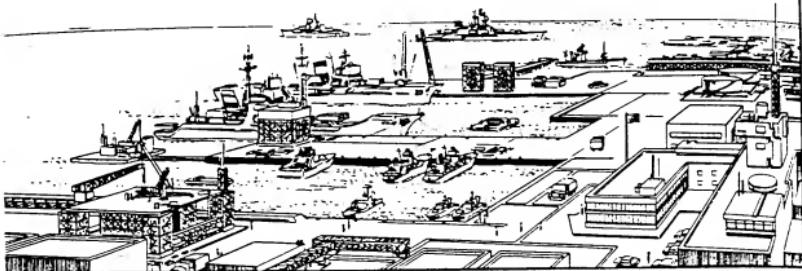
My pride won't take it if I'm being ordered around by the KGB.

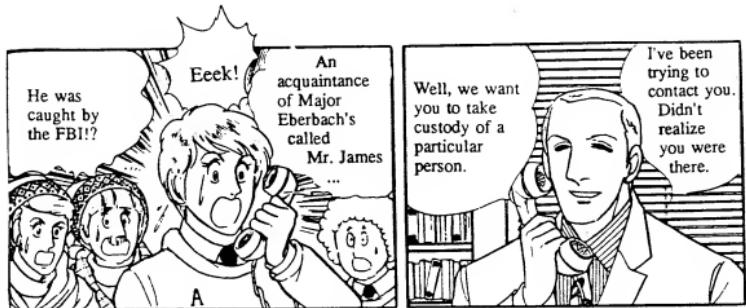






U.S. Naval Base







With MY fake-dollar negative plate!

The Earl's been kidnapped by a Russian submarine!?

X



*In this ocean...
The Earl and the
negative disappeared
in this ocean...!*



*That's the good-o'l'
loving purr of the
Earl when he tries
to get money out
of me...*

*When
my e
hear
call
from.*

ssuuuuush



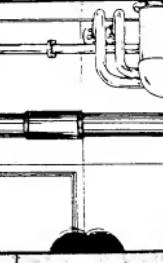
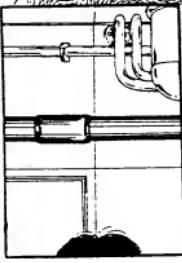
*Oh, that's the vo
my negative call
me to play print
make lots ar
money...*

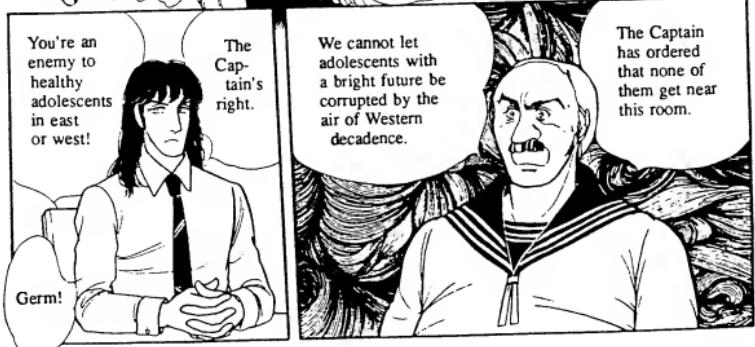
WOOOOoooh

*I'm gonna
rescue you
nooooow!*

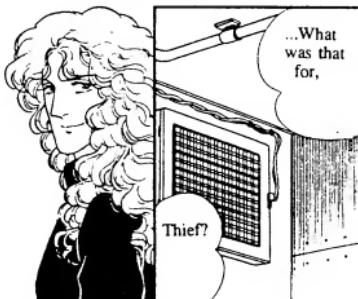
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Mooooony!!*

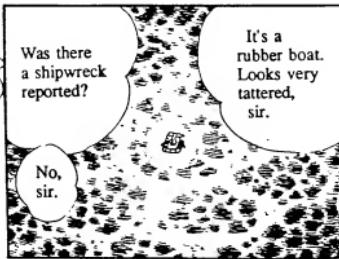
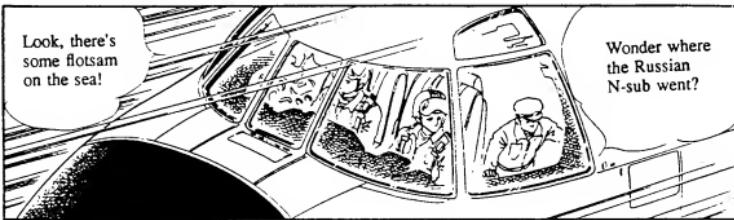
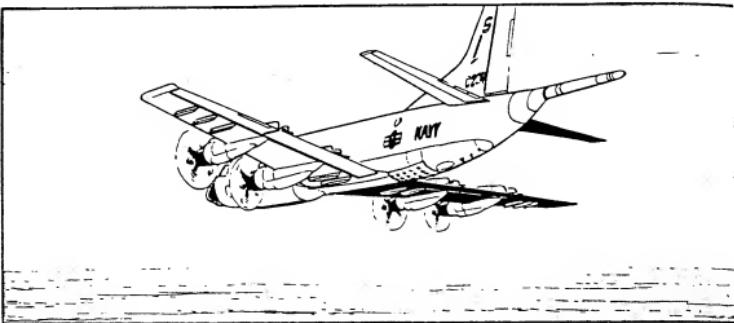


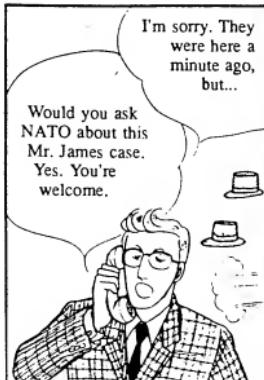
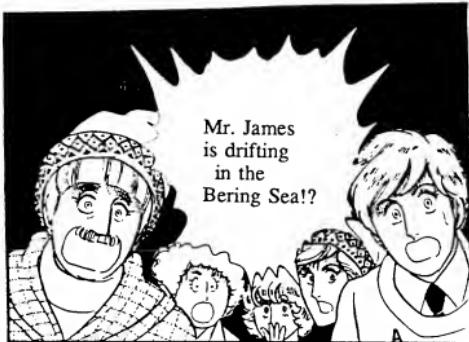


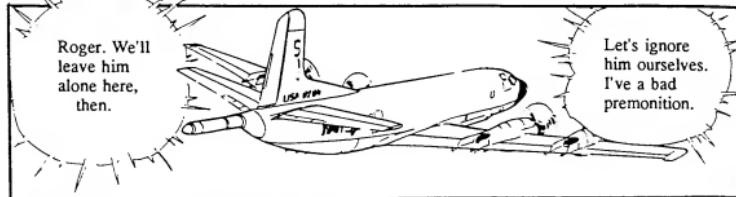




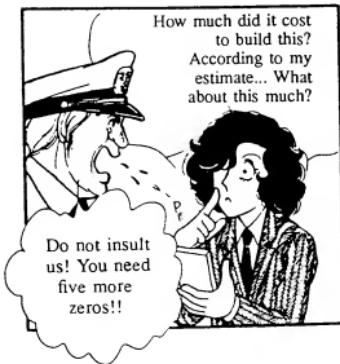


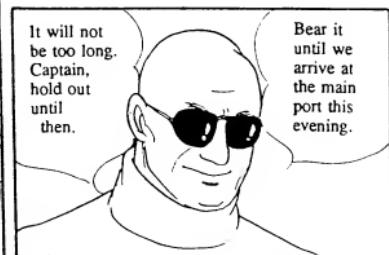


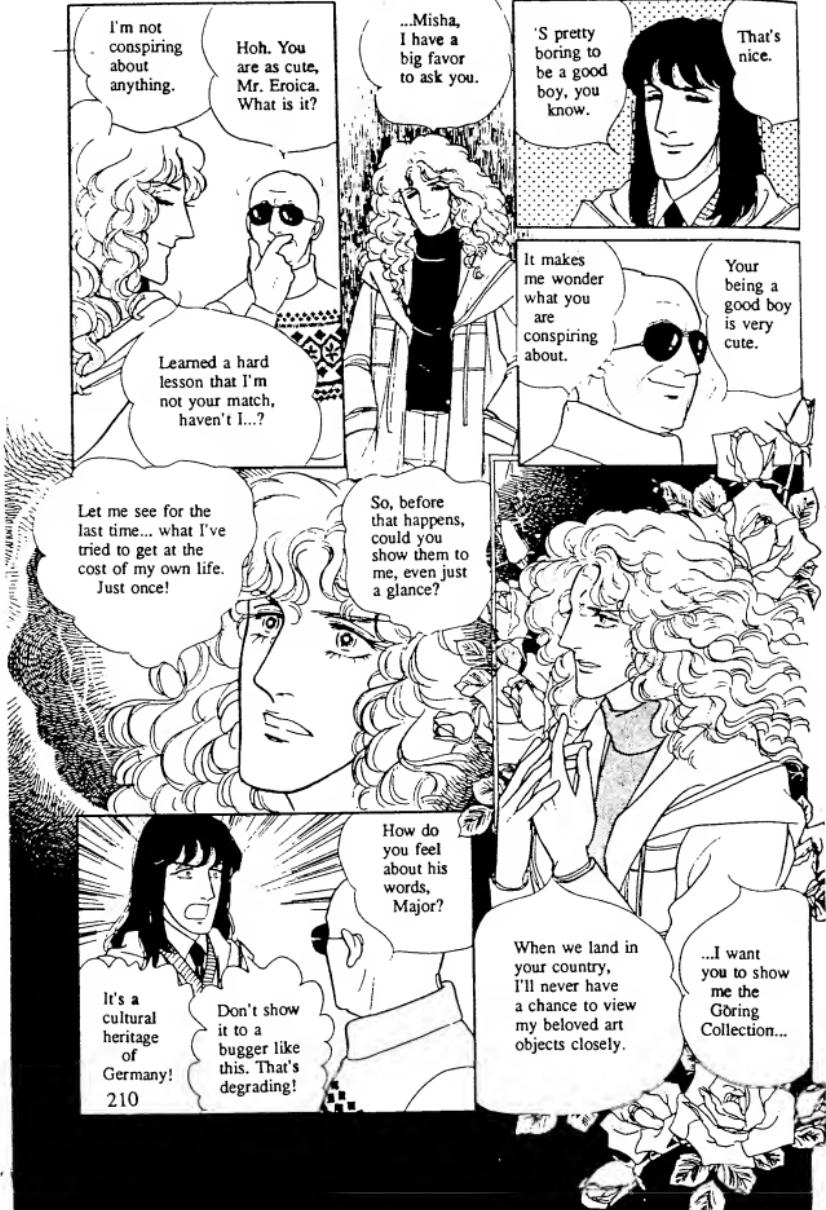


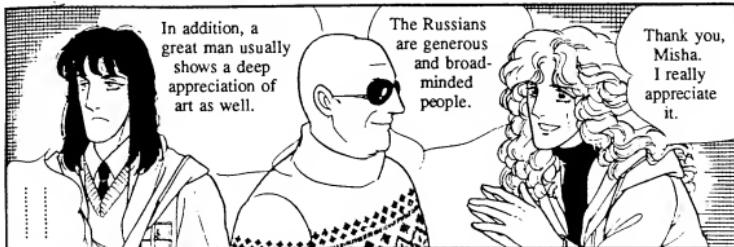
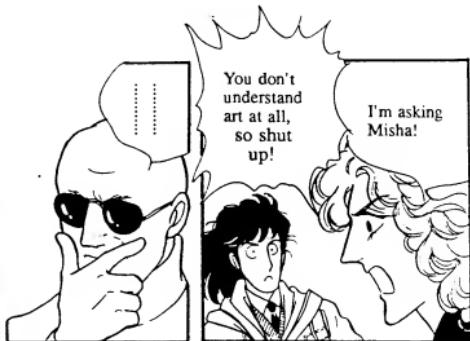








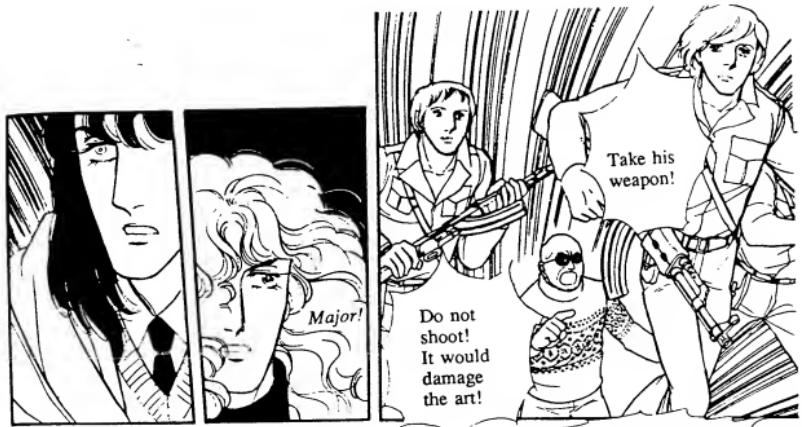




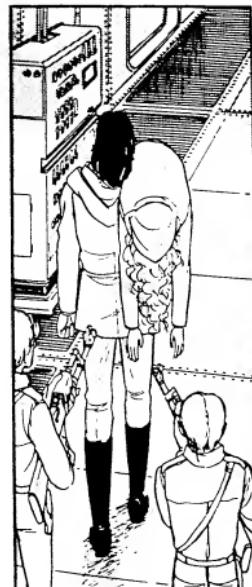
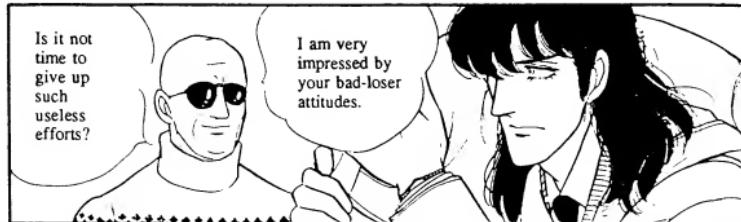


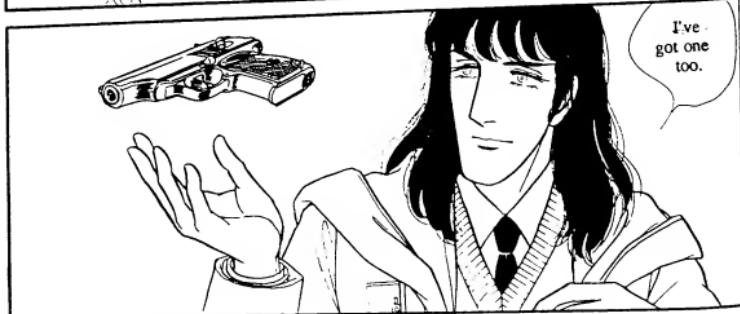
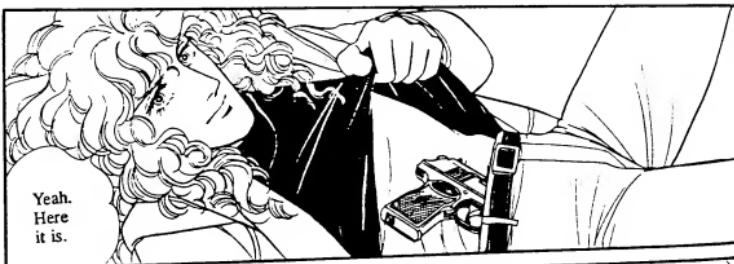
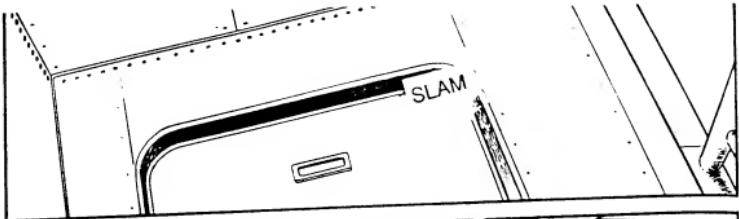




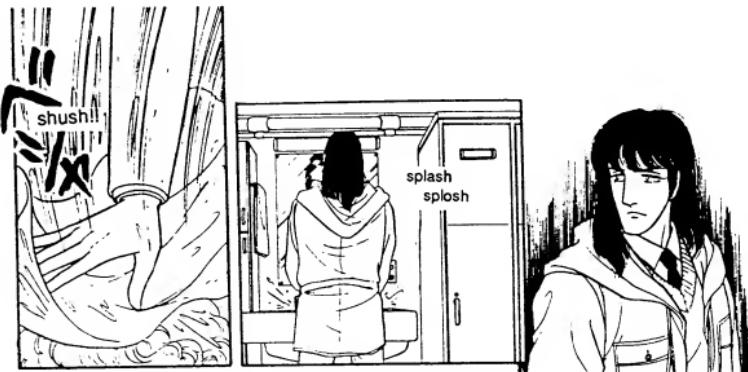


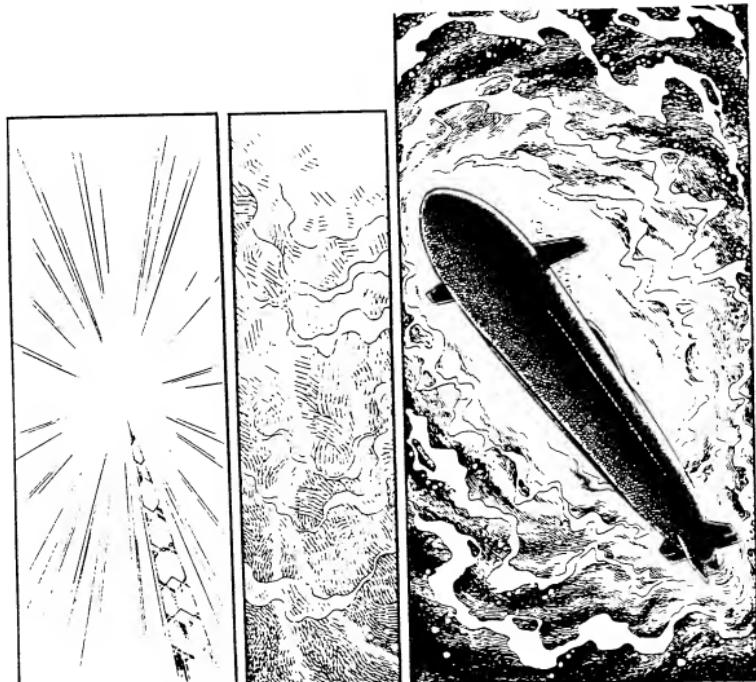




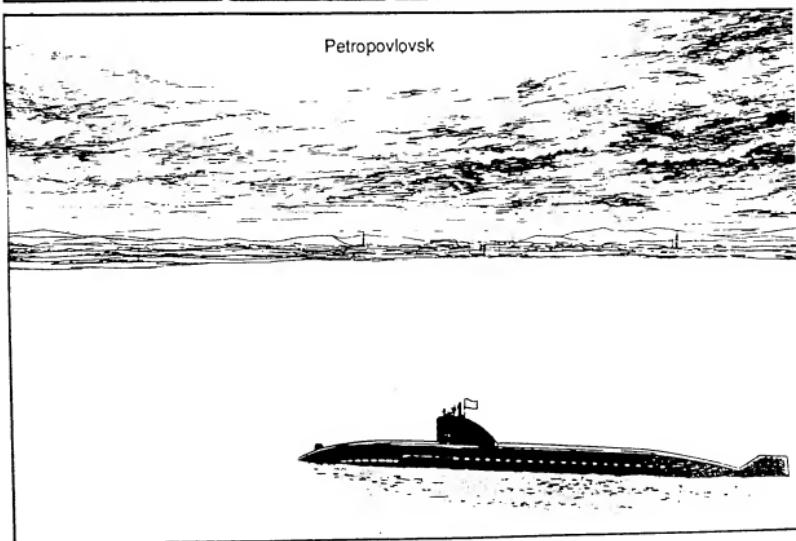


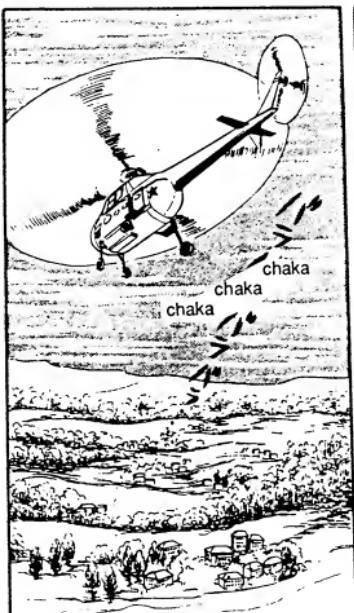
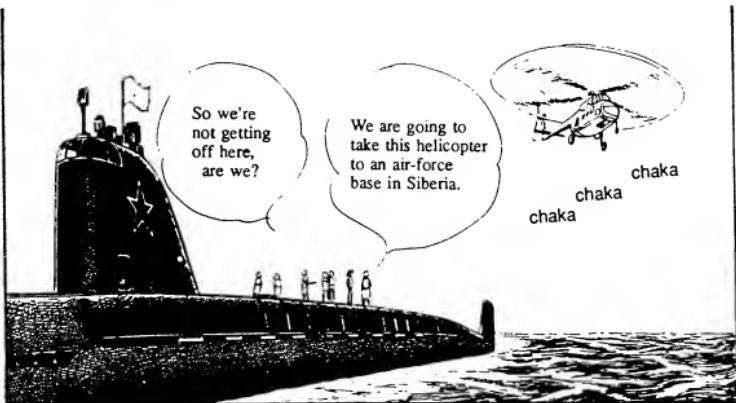




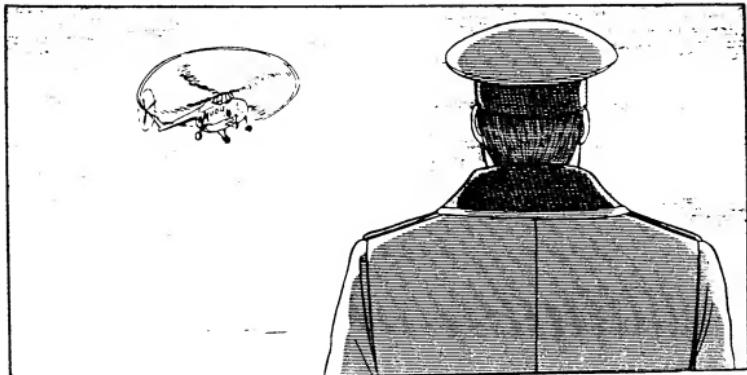
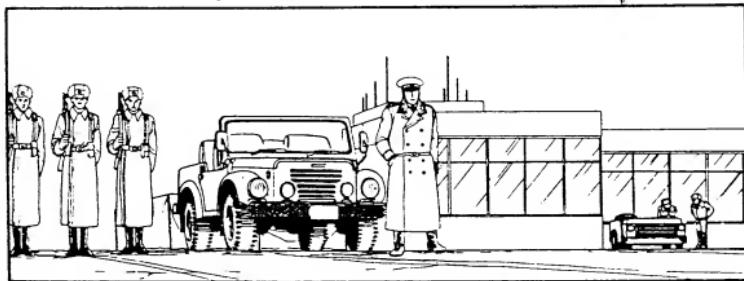
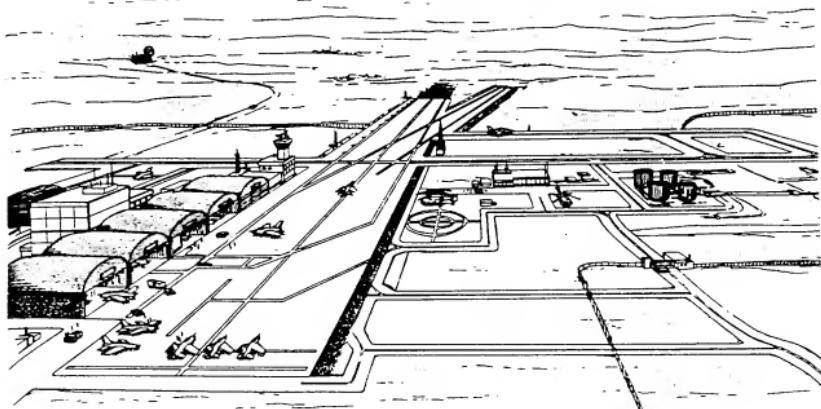


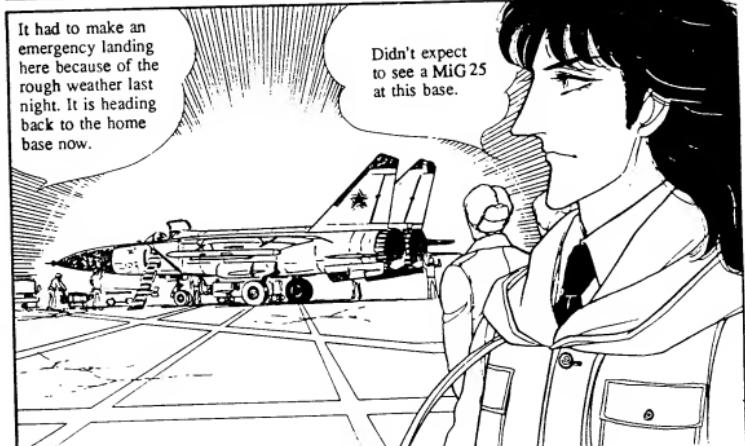
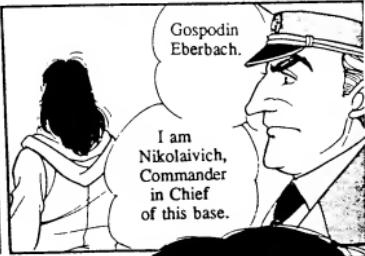
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Uspensky Base, Siberia

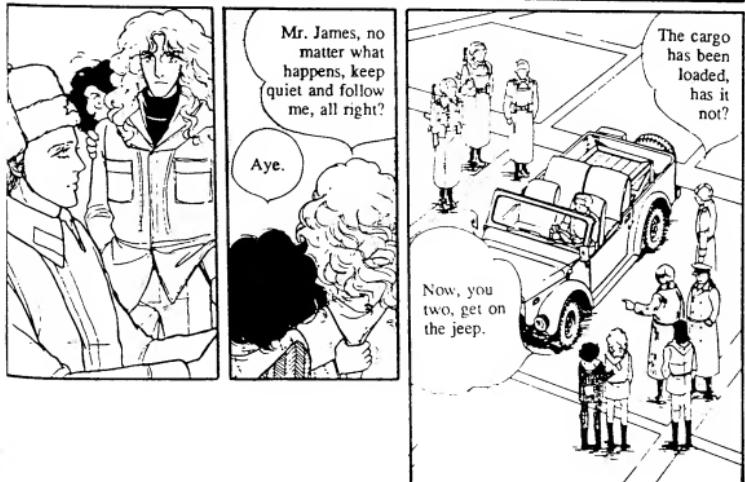




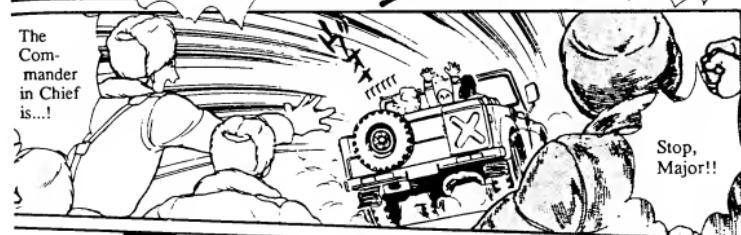


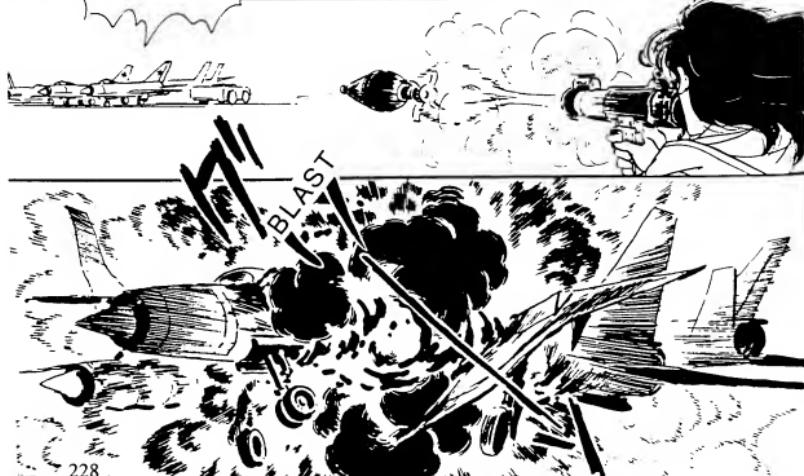
What a disgrace for Iron Klaus of NATO. Ha ha ha ha.

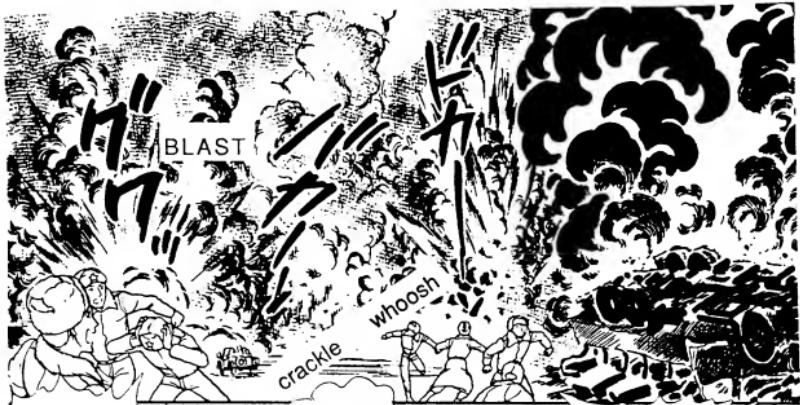
Even though it is right in front of you, you cannot do anything about it as you are now, can you?







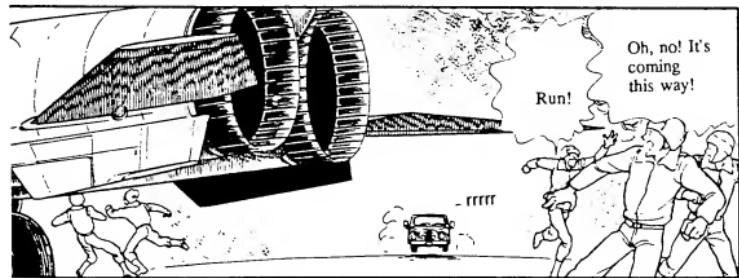




Hurry and
call for help!
It does not
matter from
which base!

All our
planes
are
destroyed!

We cannot do
anything with
the commander
taken hostage!!

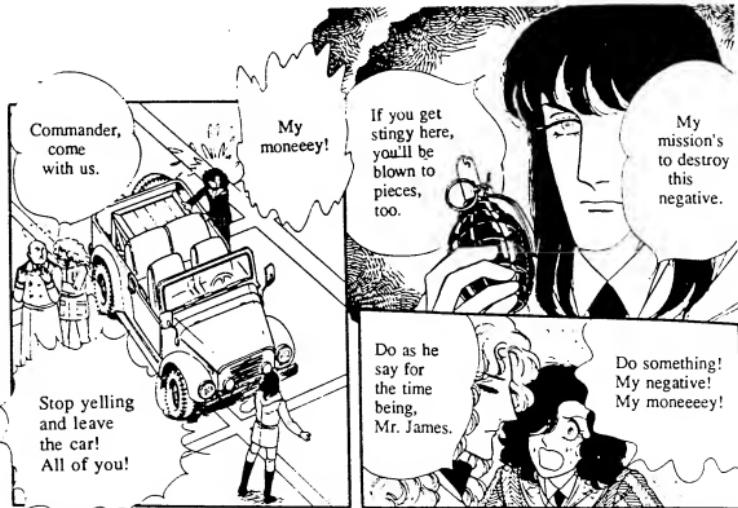


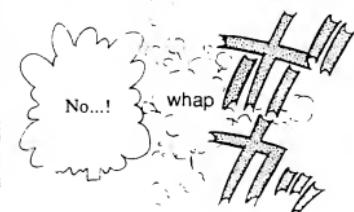
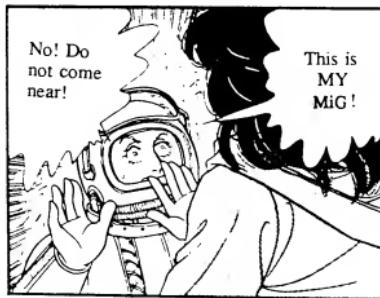
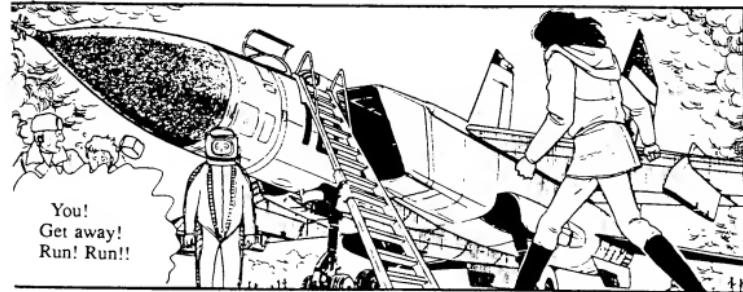
No way!
This's
mine!

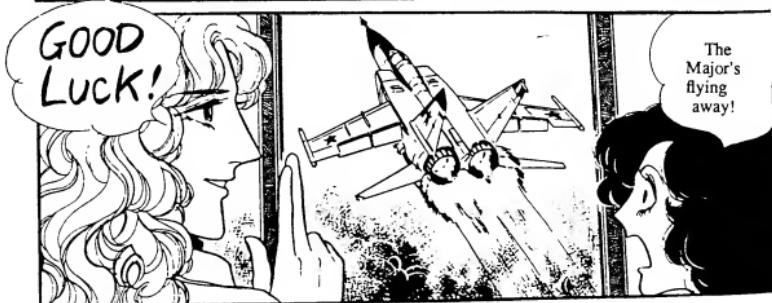
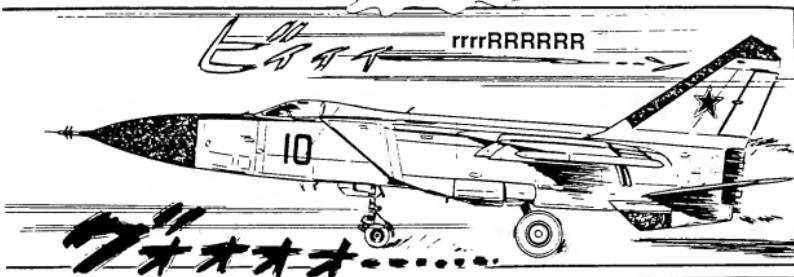
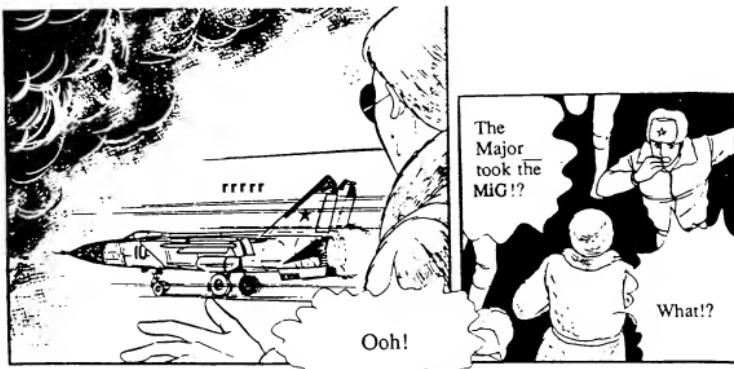
Leave the art
collection and
the negative
in the jeep!

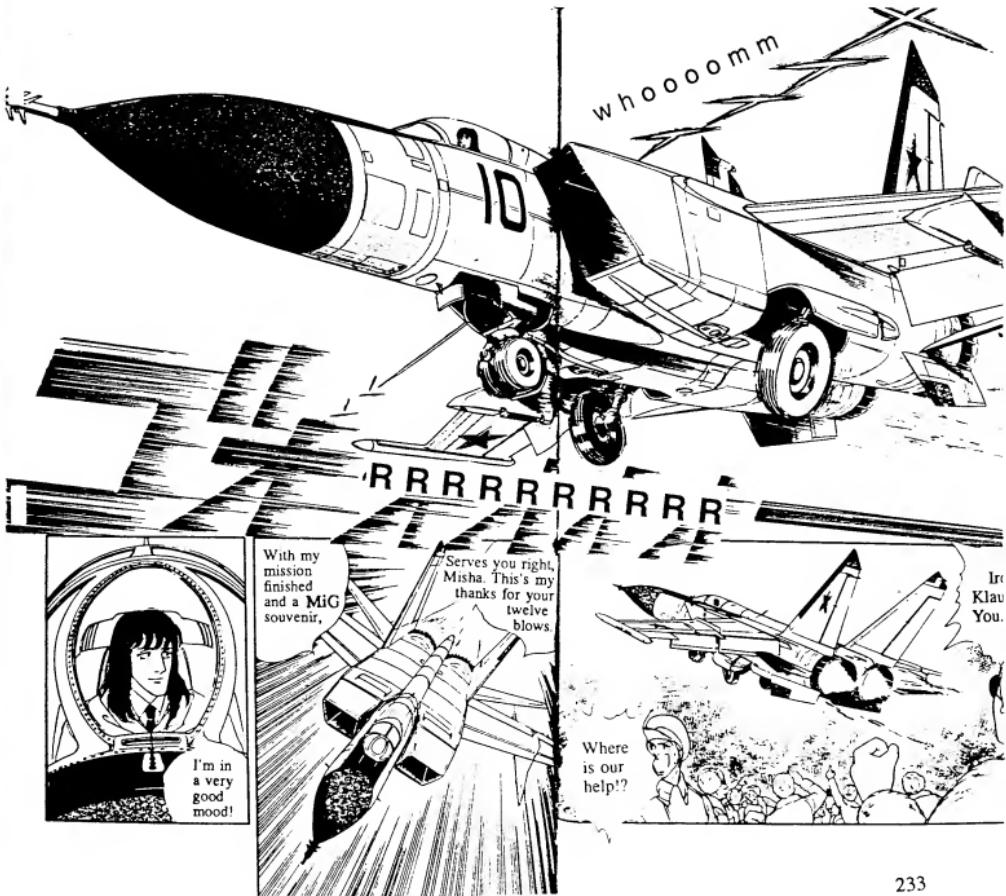
I'm taking
that MiG

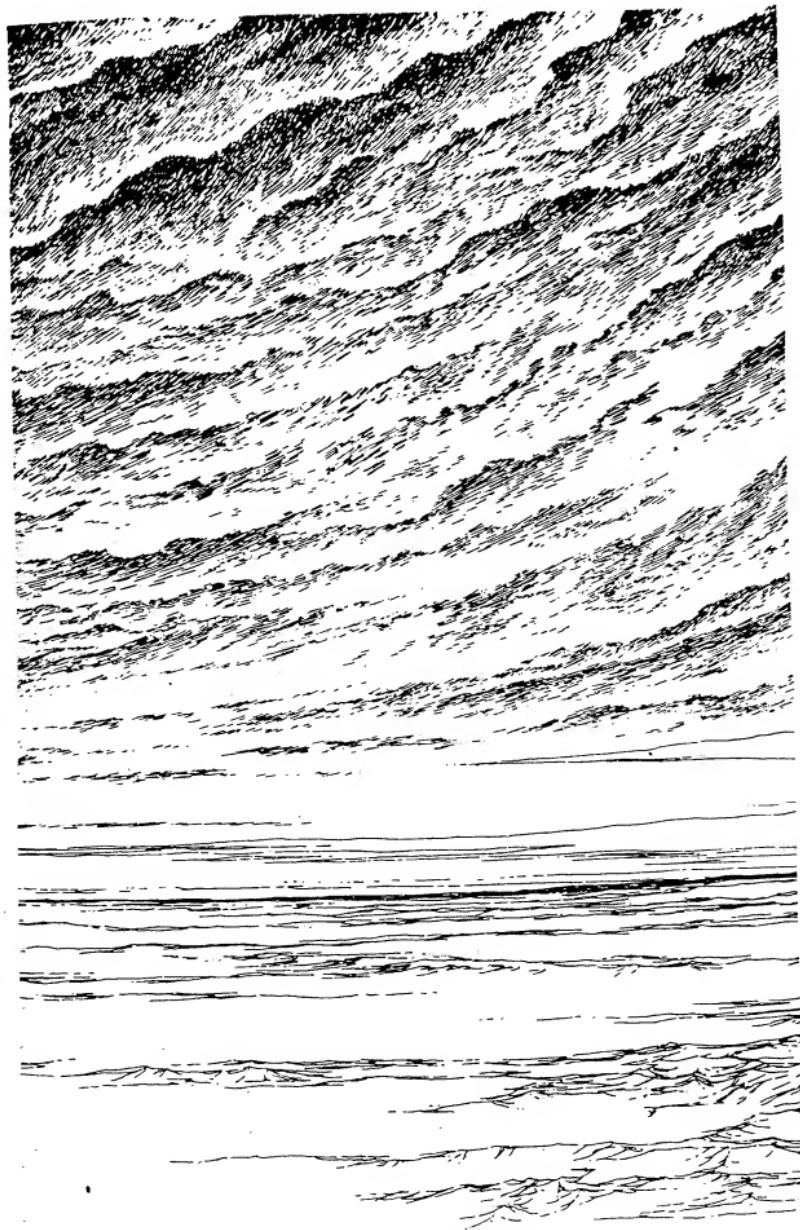














THAT FRIGGING SCROOOOGE!!







but as long as that
Scrooge has the
negative, I can't
let that happen!

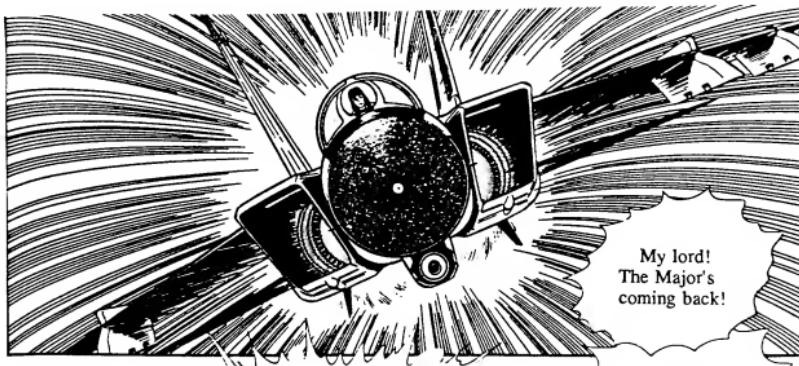
I don't care if
they get caught
and die miserably
in Siberia,

How can those
frigging bastards
interfere with me
this much?

All I wanna do's get
this frigging mission
finished and go back
to Germany!

The MiG 25's
returning!

WOOOH

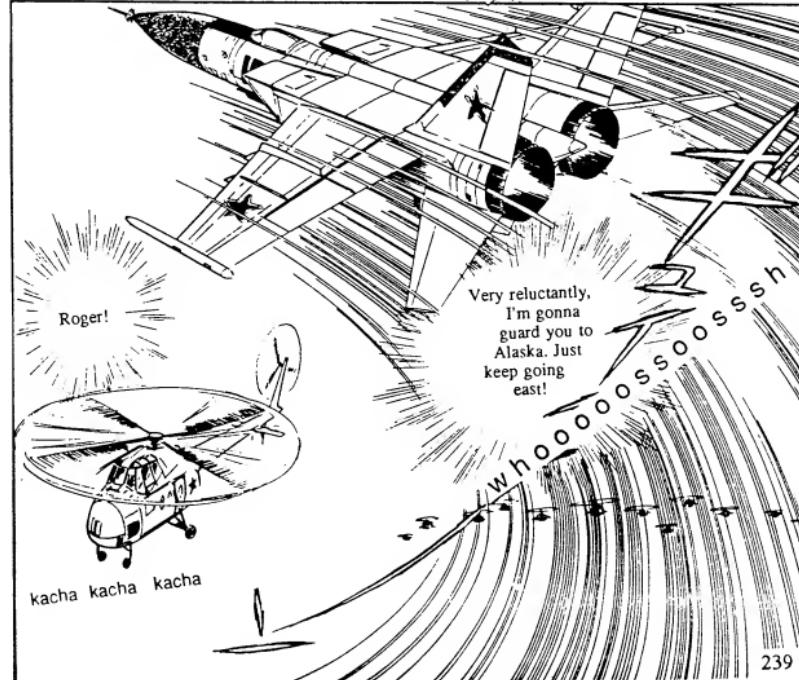


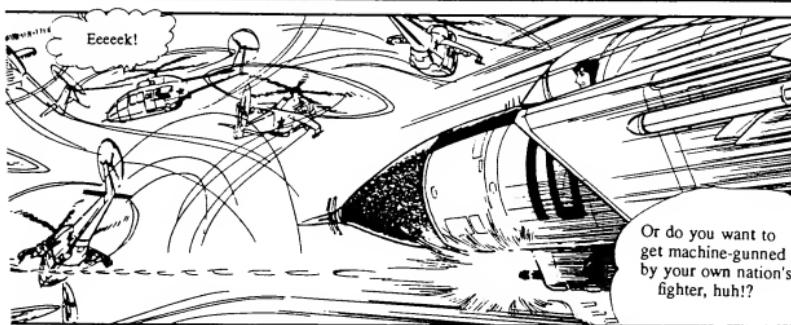
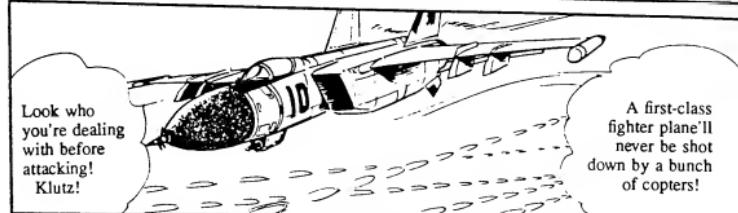
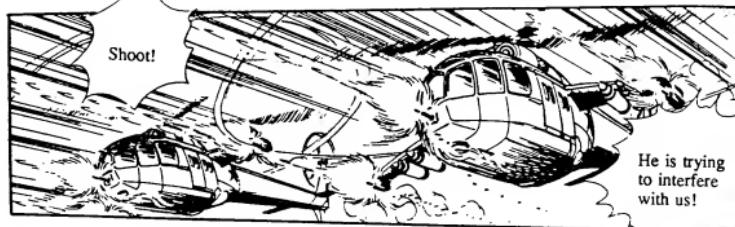
Let's surrender to the Russians! He horrifies me!

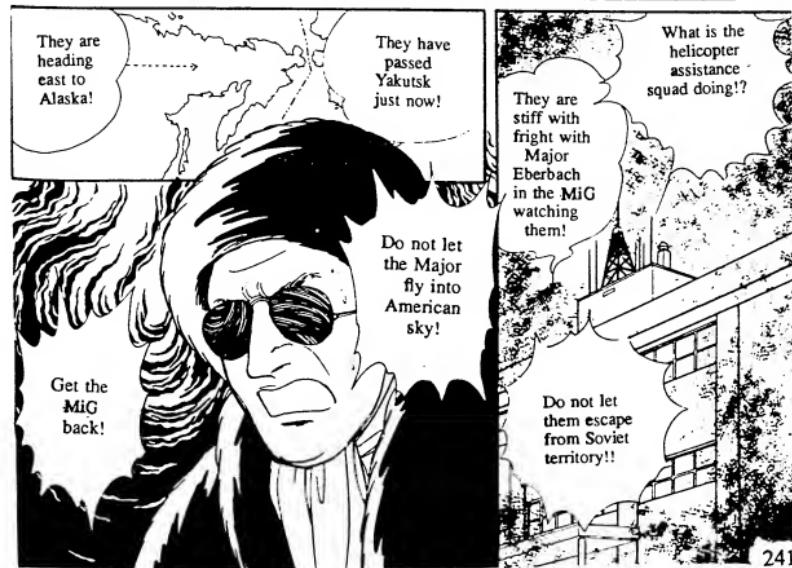
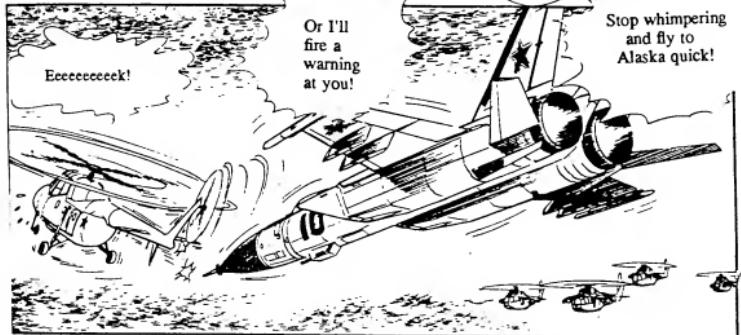
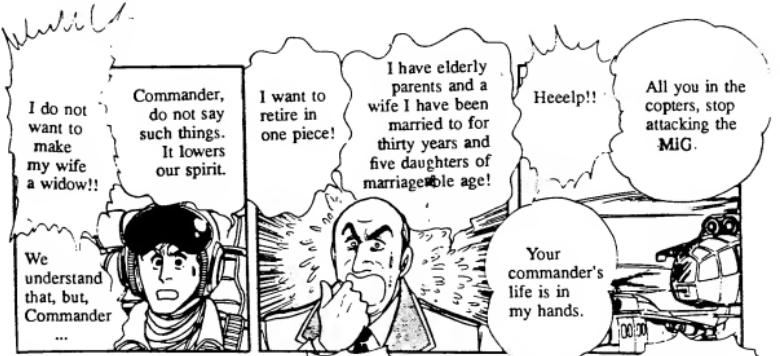


IDIOOOTS!!

Thank you!

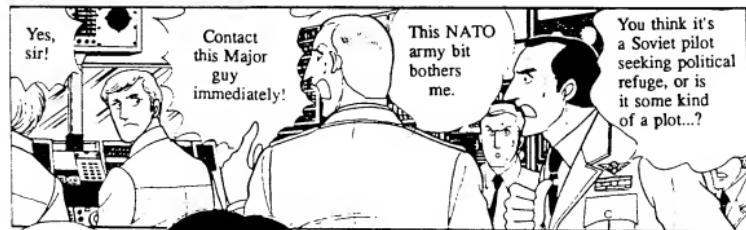
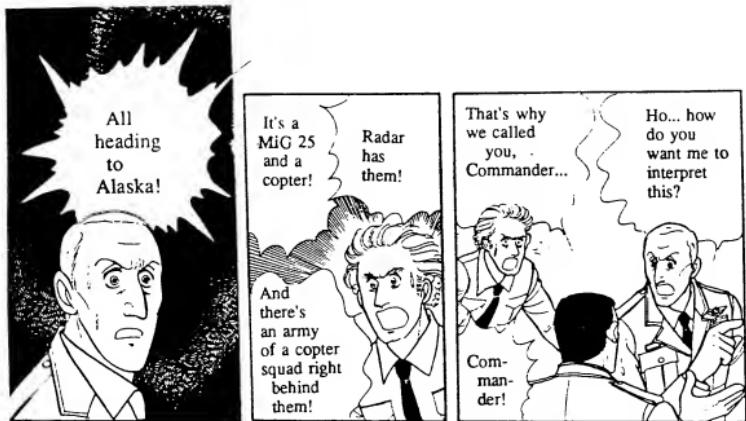


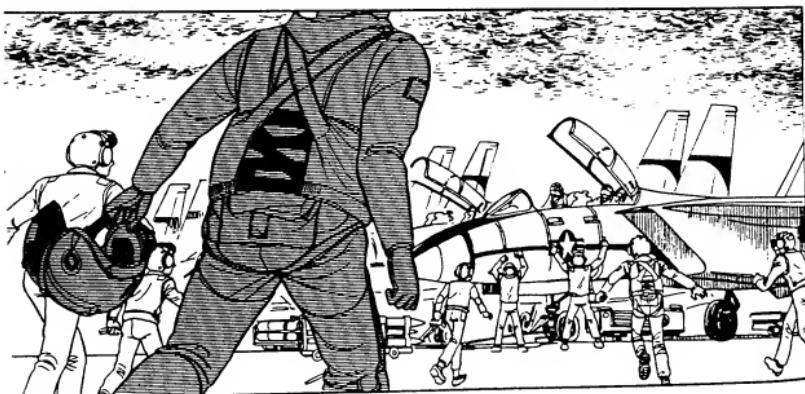
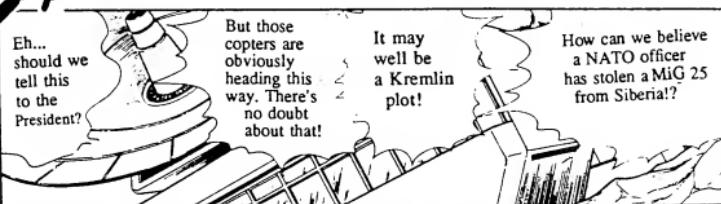
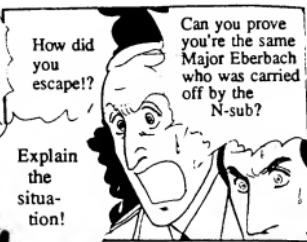


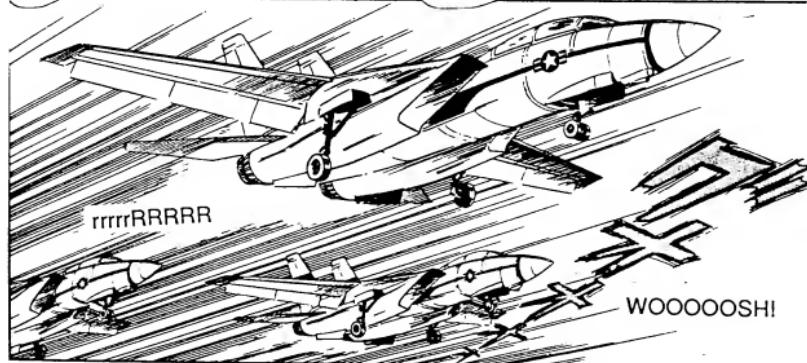
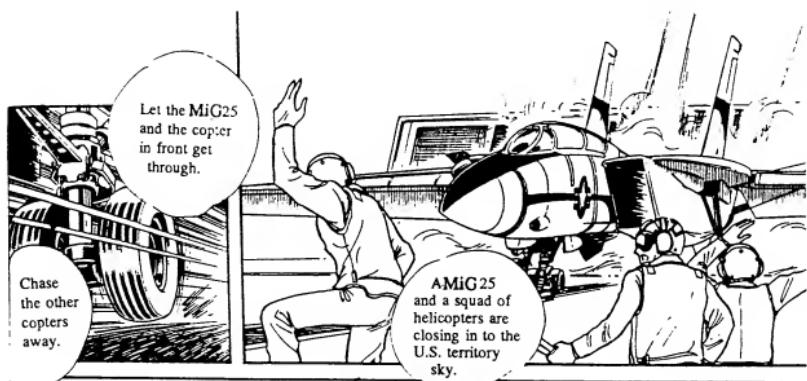


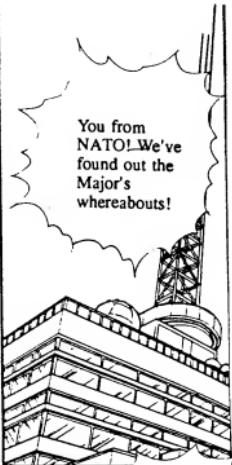
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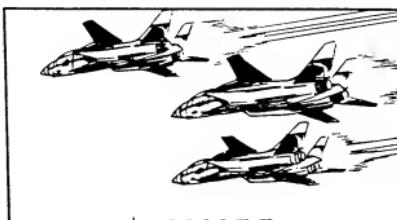
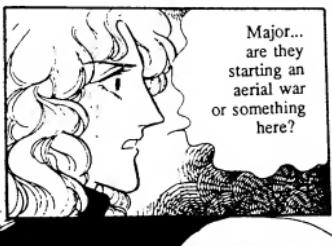
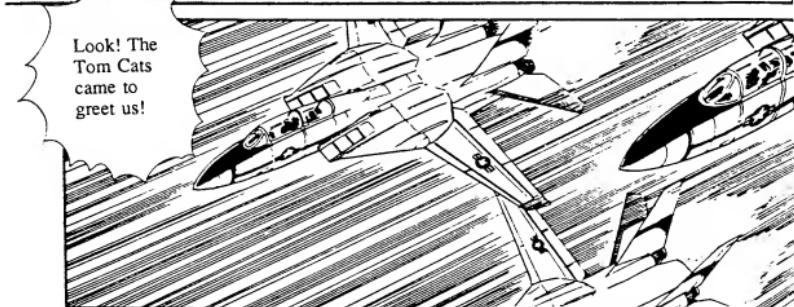














Comrade,
we have received
orders from
the Kremlin.



Major! The
copter
squad's
going back!



Roger!



The chase is
over. Return
swiftly to
the base.



Told
you
so.



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ooooomm



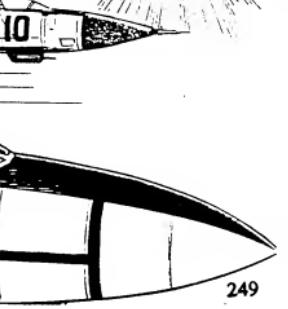
Follow
our lead
from now
on.



Major Eberbach,
your plane has
entered our
territory.



Roger.



It is wiser to hand over a MiG and a commander than to threaten the peaceful balance of the Soviet-U.S. relationship.

That is
true,
Comrade.

The
Kremlin's
decision
is correct.

The Soviet Air Force must not invade the border

...He has
gotten
away...

Excuse me.

Since the commander has been forcibly carried away, he will be deported back as an illegal alien,

Excuse
me.

I believe
this has been
a setback for
you as well,
Comrade...

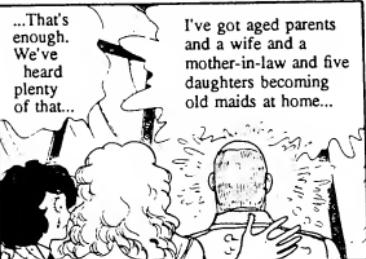
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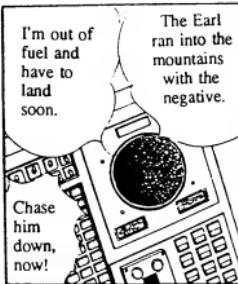
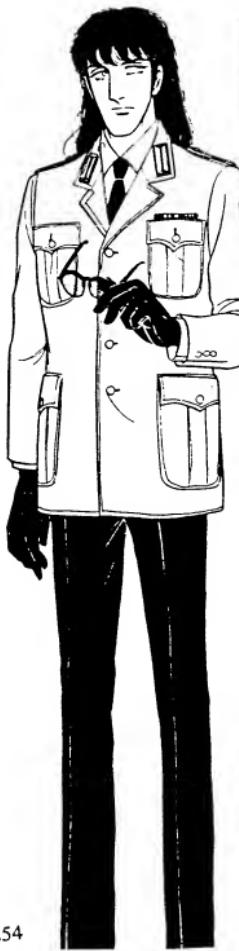
That's
the
KGB



What
a calm
man.



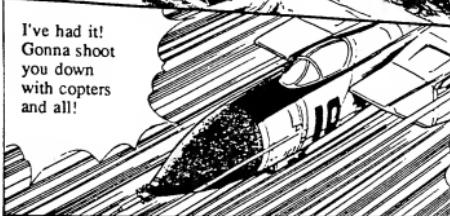






But business is business. Don't take it badly, okay?

It's hard to say goodbye to you. Lived together in that N-sub for quite a long time, didn't we?



I've had it! Gonna shoot you down with copters and all!

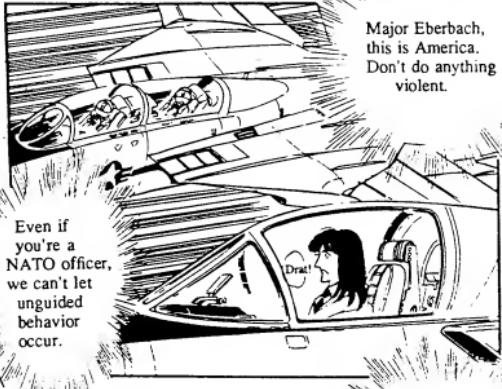
What a crooked man!

He's an obstacle all the way and now he's trying to rip me off and leave!



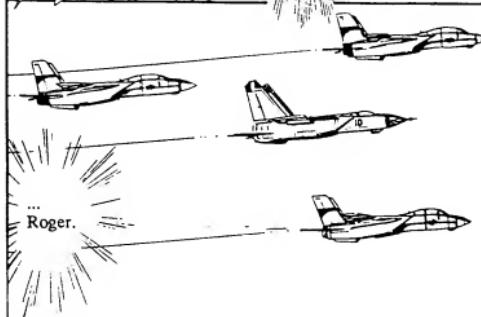
A dreadful, international criminal who stole a top secret's on that copoter!

I can't let him go!



Even if you're a NATO officer, we can't let unguided behavior occur.

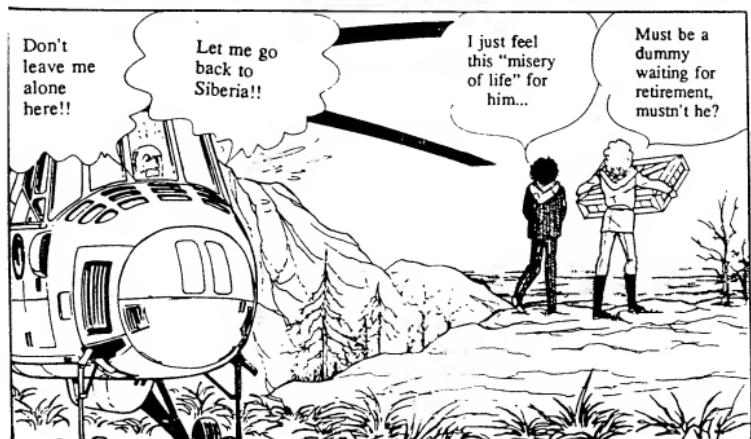
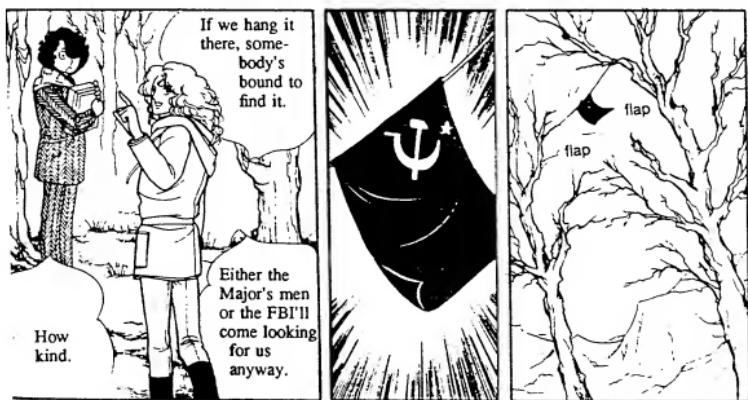
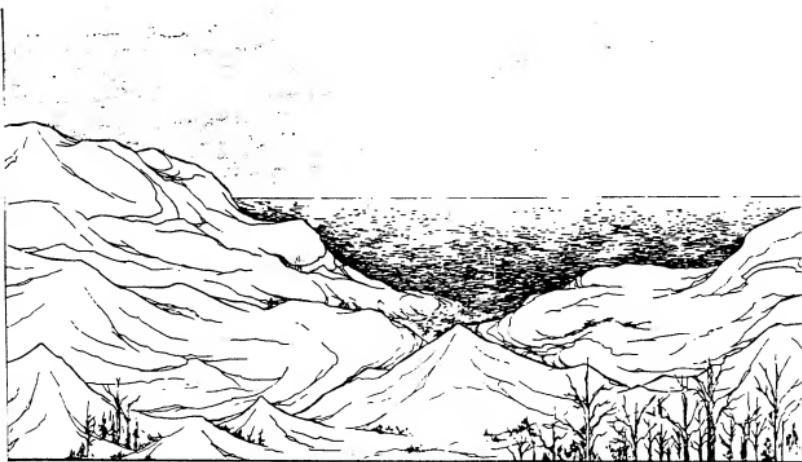
Major Eberbach, this is America. Don't do anything violent.

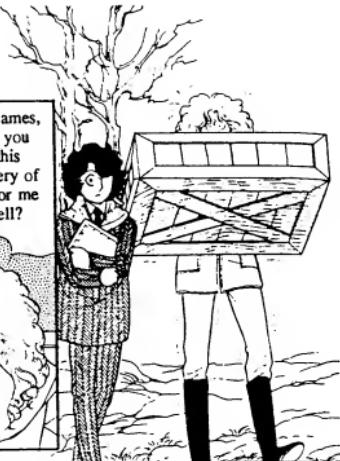


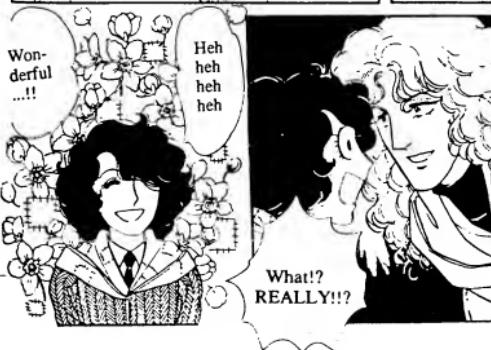
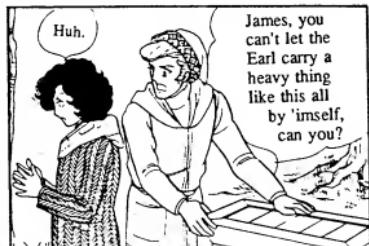
... Roger.

Your plane's fuel should be running short now.

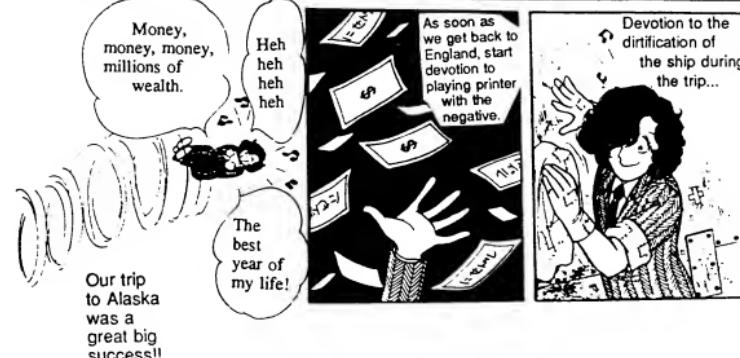
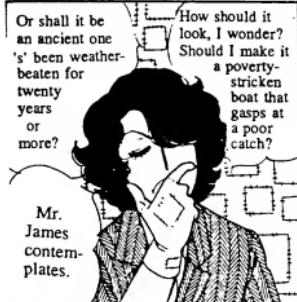
Follow our lead and land at the base.









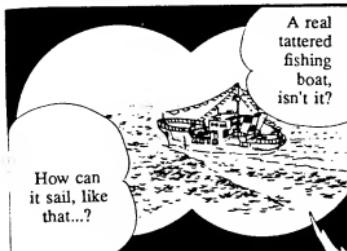


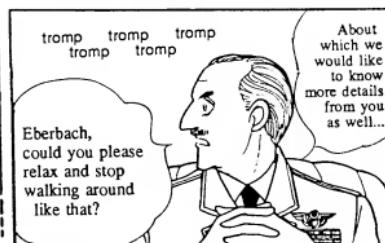
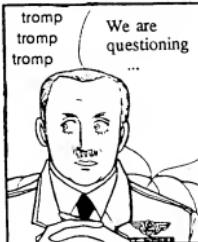
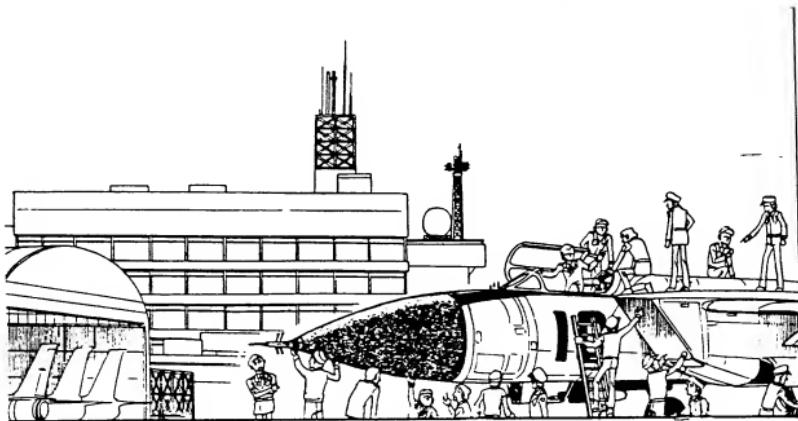


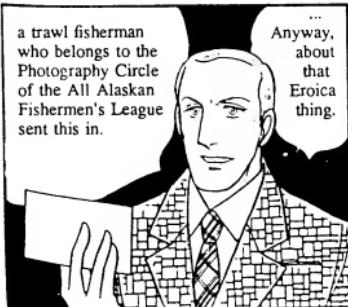
From Eroica
with love...

Until some
day we meet
again...











Don't let him use it! He's a man who snatched a MiG 25 from Siberia. We don't know what he might do!

He's going to borrow a frigate. Tell him that they're all out!

you know, THAT man...

A German from NATO is heading that way. It's that man,

We can't do that!

Then, I'll borrow that one. Unload those brats.

What's that over there, with a pack of brats in it?

As you see, all of them are out...

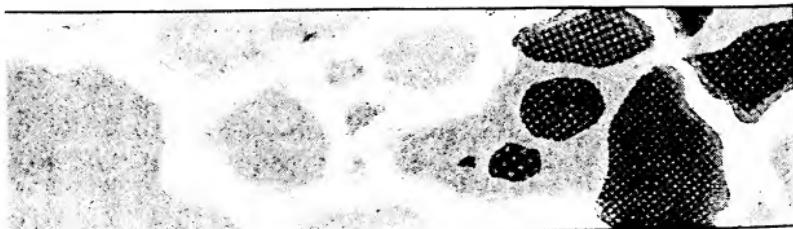
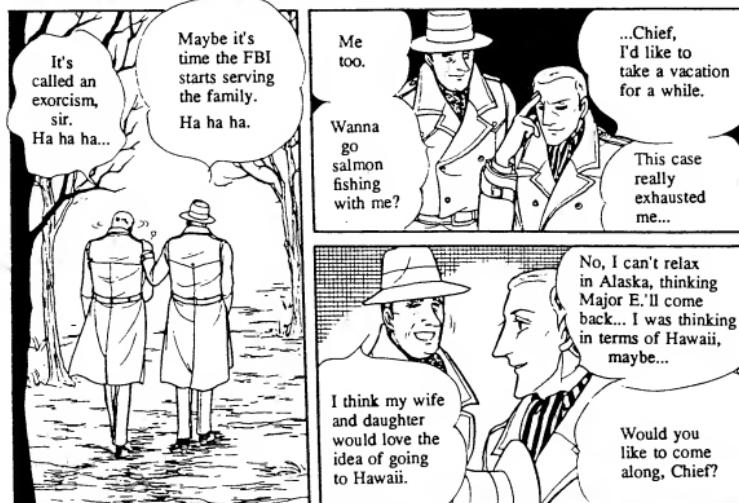
I'm chasing an international top secret right now!

Shut up! I'm in a hurry!

That's a school ship. They're about to take off for their training cruise.

Don't worry. There's no depth charge nor fixed machine guns...

Our school shiiiiip!













Whatever.
Let's put
everything
up. That'll
be more
cheerful.

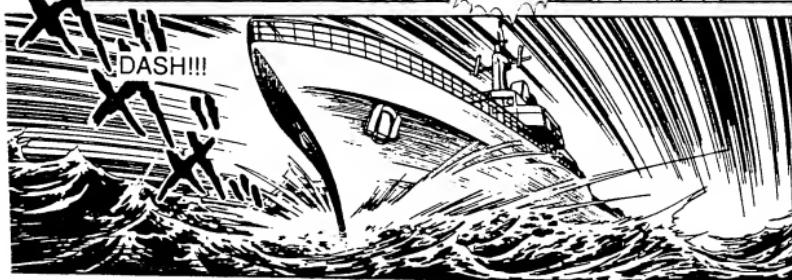
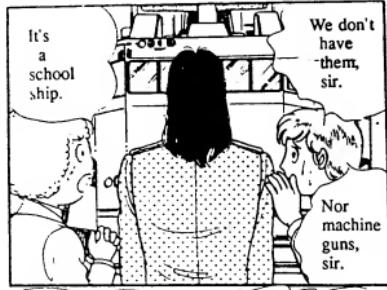
We got no
Z flag!
What about
good-haul
flags!?

Raise
the Z
flag!

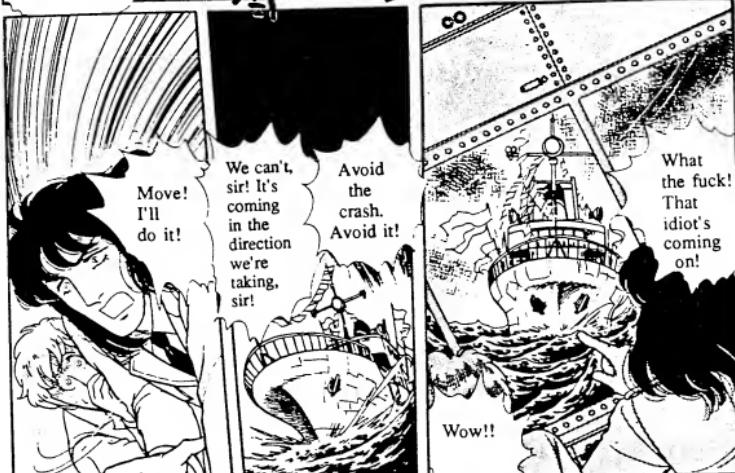
The British
pirate in
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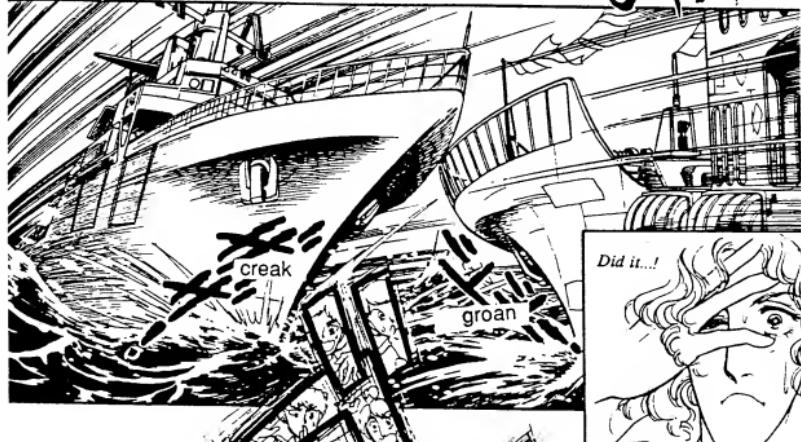
That
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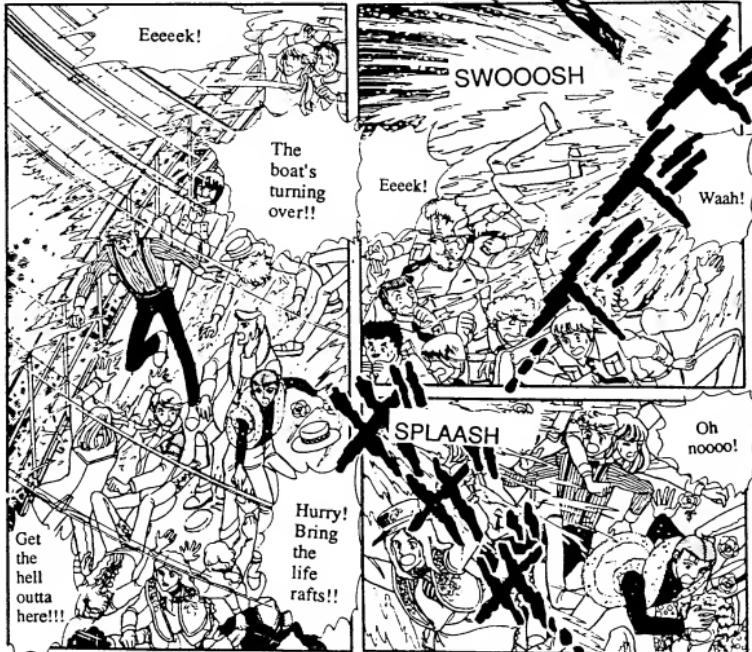
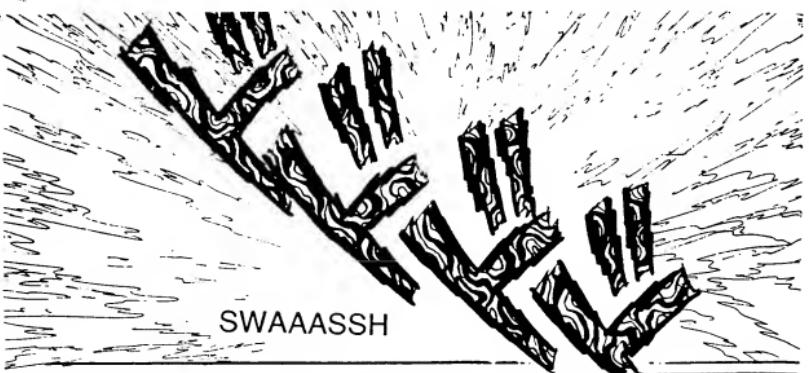


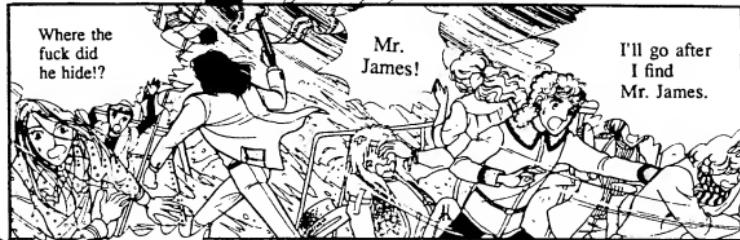


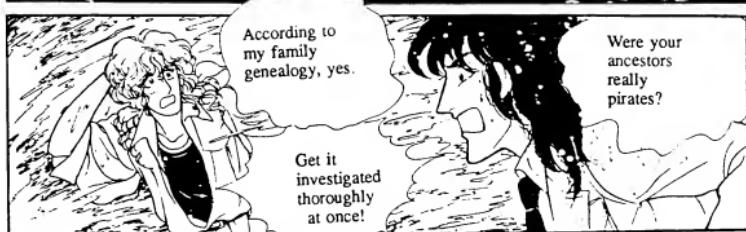
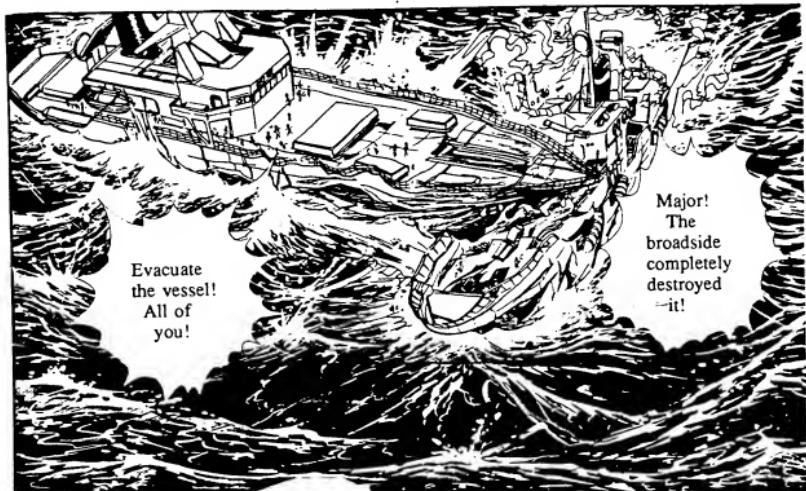


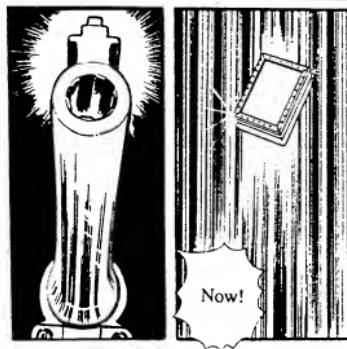
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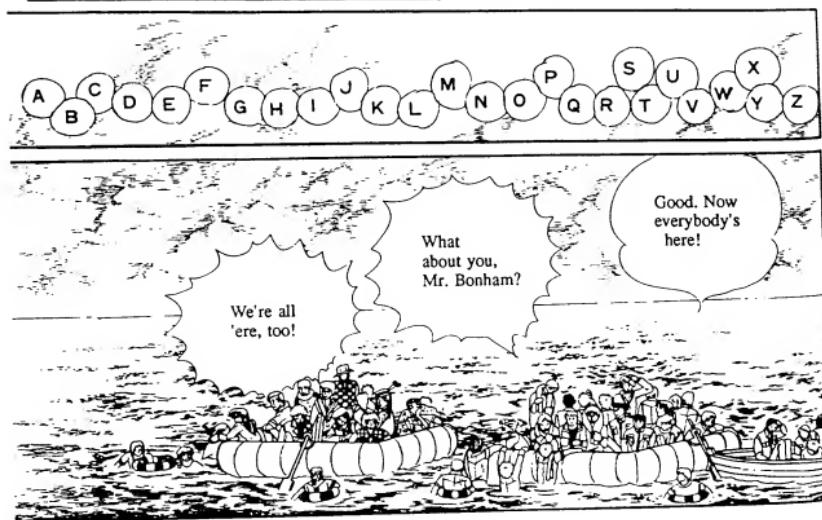
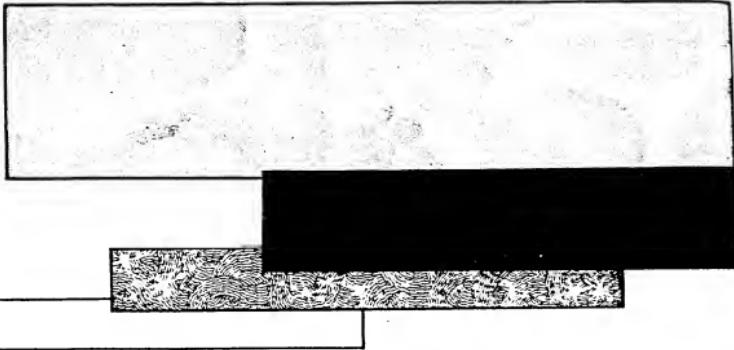


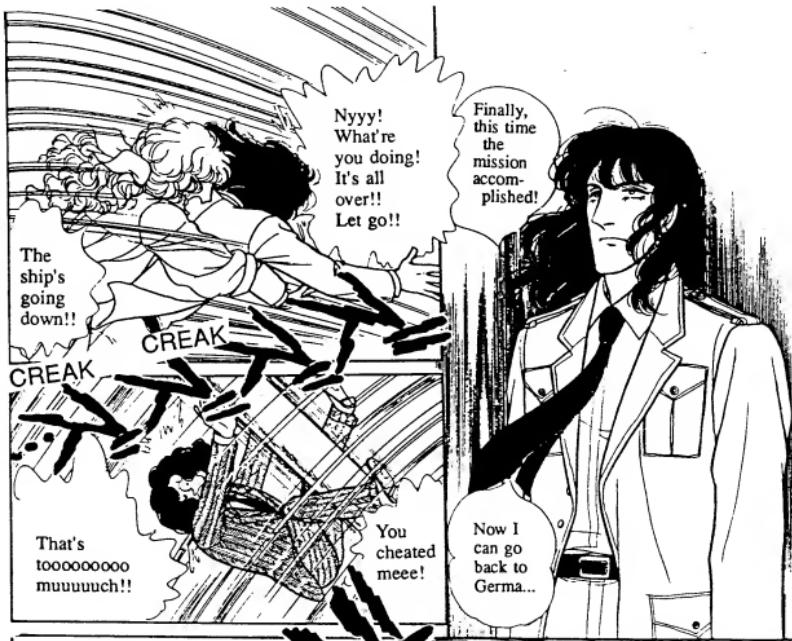


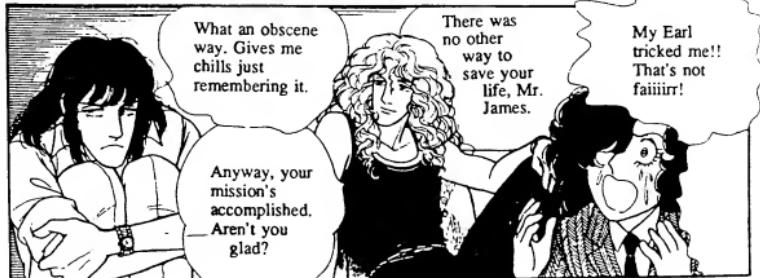
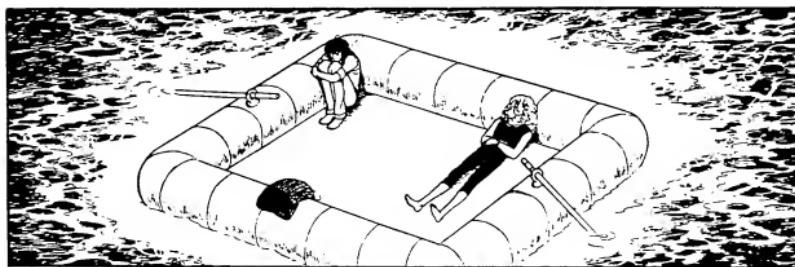


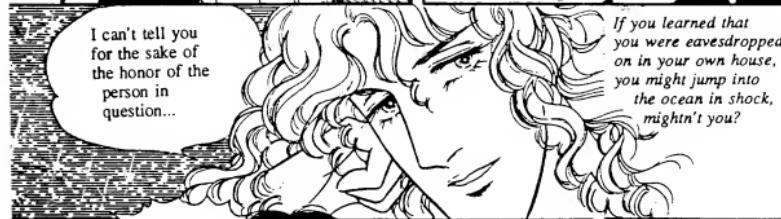




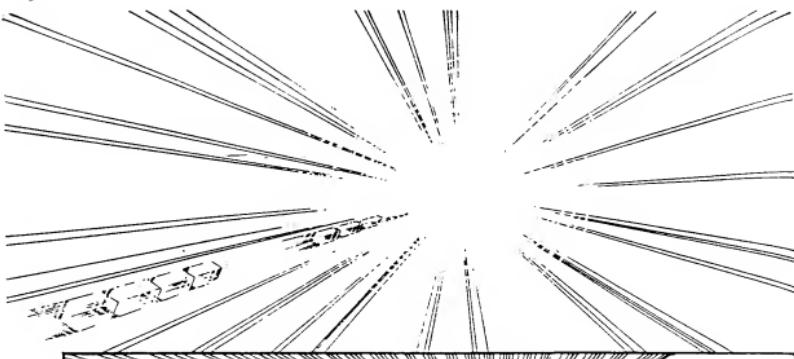


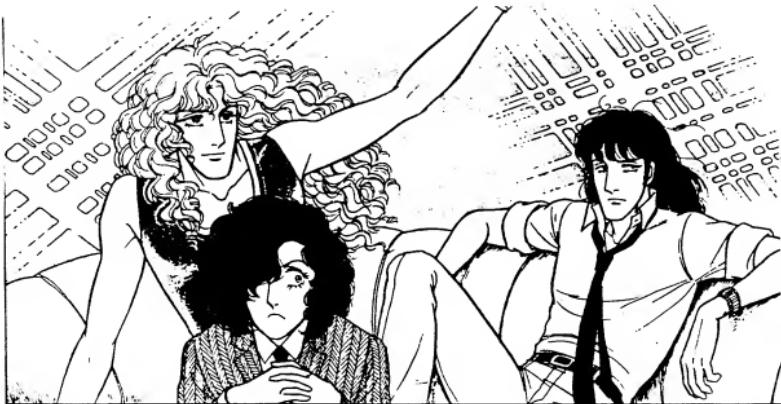












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but Alaska is...

THE END





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